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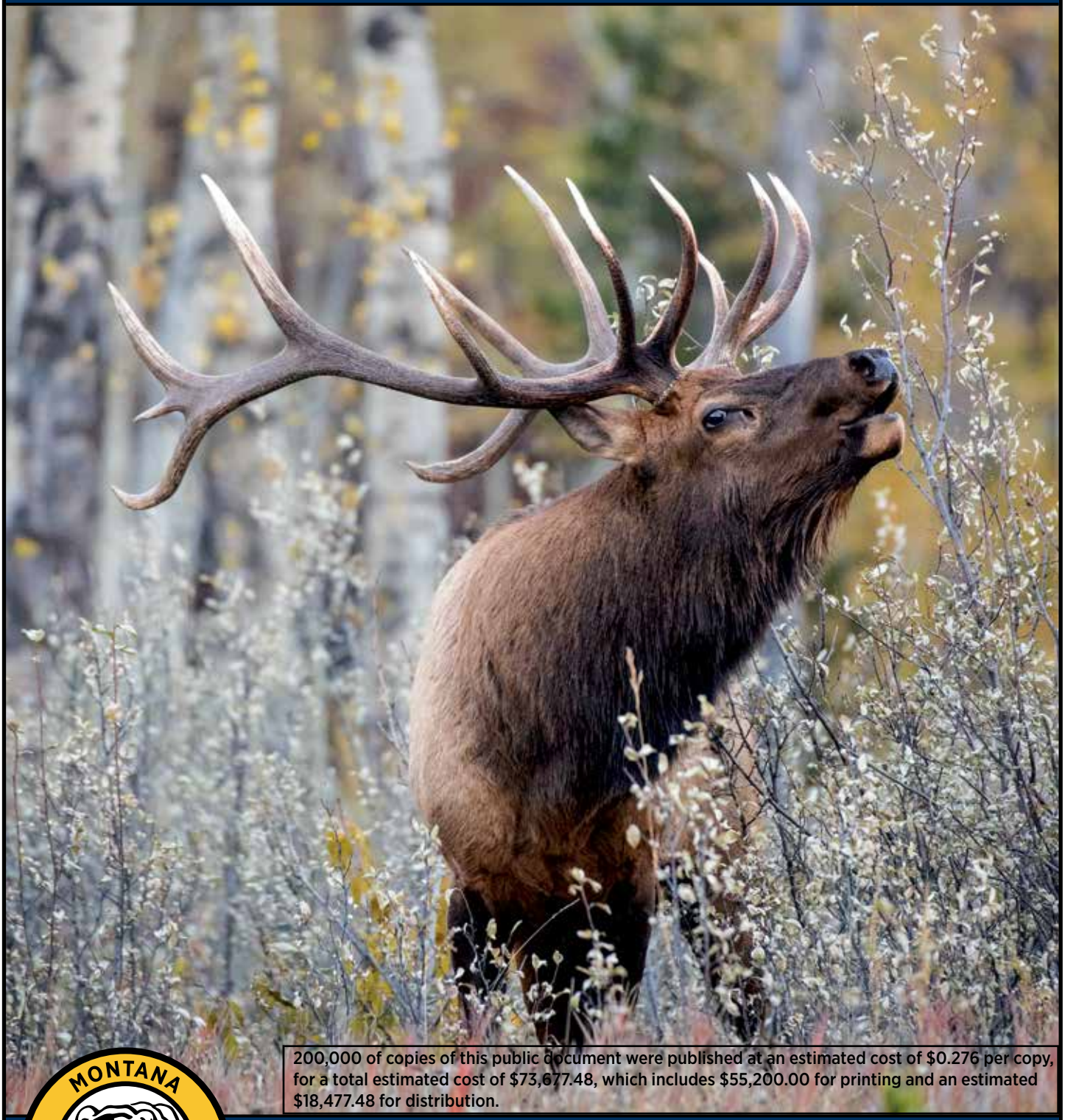

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CHRONIC WASTING DISEASE: See page 4 for information
See page 7 for 2020 highlights

CWD MANAGEMENT

FOR THE LATEST INFORMATION ON CWD, VISIT **fwp.mt.gov/cwd**

WHAT IS CHRONIC WASTING DISEASE?

CWD is a progressive, fatal neurological disease that affects deer, elk and moose. There is no known case of CWD affecting people, pets, livestock or wildlife other than the deer family. However, the World Health Organization and the Centers for Disease Control and Prevention (CDC) recommend not consuming meat from an animal known to be infected with CWD. The CDC also recommends that hunters have deer, elk and moose tested if they were harvested in an area where CWD is known to be present, which includes hunting districts with, and adjacent to, those with CWD detections. **Visit fwp.mt.gov/cwd for more information.**

WHERE IS CWD?

CWD has been detected across much of Montana, including the northwest, northeast, southeast and southwest.

WHY IS CWD MANAGEMENT IMPORTANT?

Montana FWP has the great responsibility for managing wildlife. That includes managing wildlife diseases. Our efforts at managing CWD:

- Help prevent long-term population declines in infected herds. Some states have seen more than a 40% decline in mule deer.
- Decreases prevalence and likelihood of spread.
- Helps mitigate the disease's broader impacts to Montana's hunting and outdoor legacy.

DISPOSE, DON'T EXPOSE

Don't dump carcasses

There are three very important reasons not to dump a game carcass:

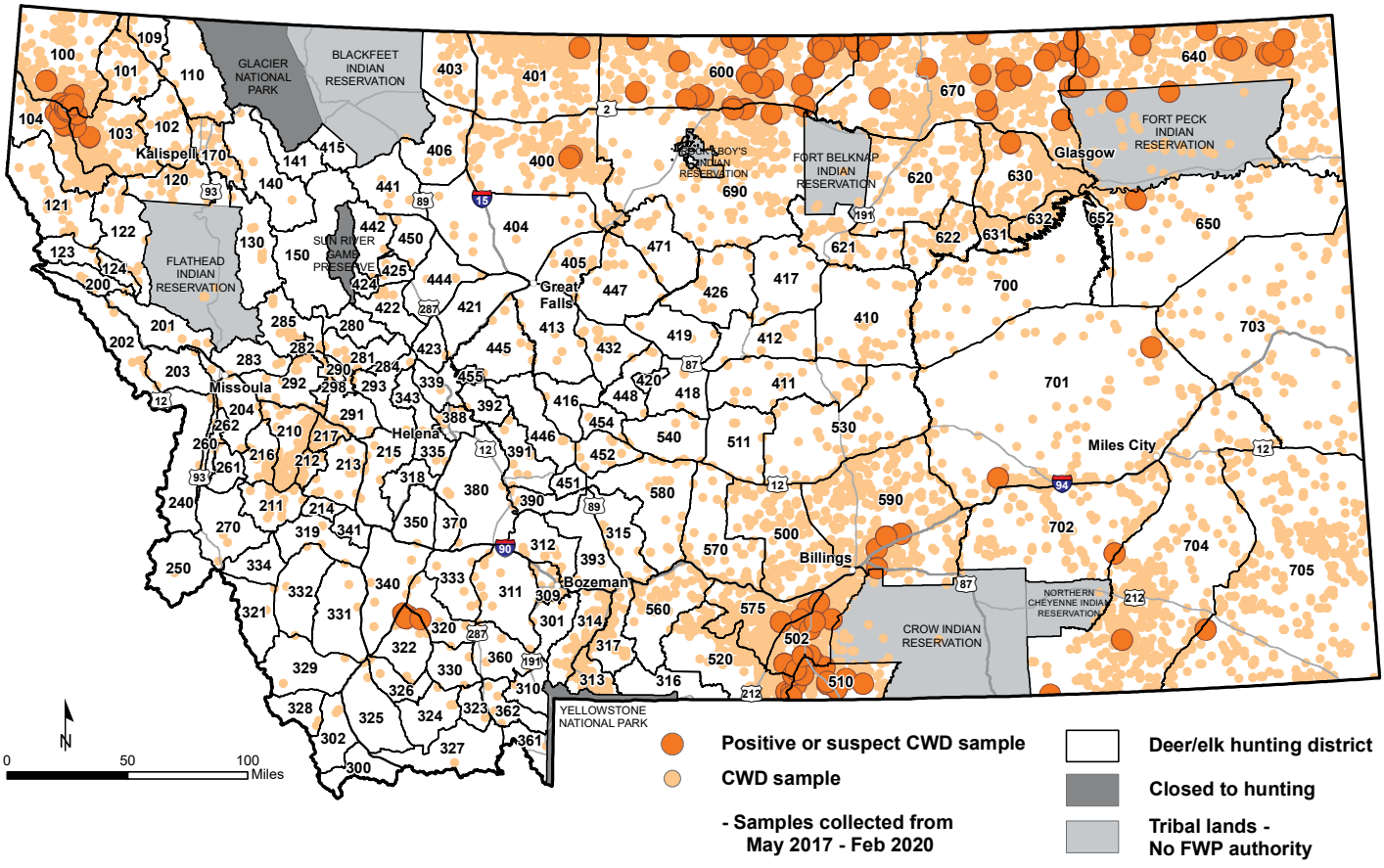
1. IT CAN SPREAD CHRONIC WASTING DISEASE. Once an animal with CWD dies, ANY PART of the carcass can transmit the disease for at least two years.

2. IT'S ILLEGAL. Montana State Law prohibits dumping dead animals or refuse on public property, including all state-owned and managed lands, which includes FWP managed fishing access sites and wildlife management areas. If you are caught, you risk a fine and losing hunting and fishing privileges for a year.

3. IT'S UNSIGHTLY. A dumped carcass reflects poorly on hunting to those who do not hunt.

Follow carcass disposal guidelines

Bag your carcasses and dispose of in a landfill or leave at the kill site on public land or with landowner permission on private land.



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For many of you, picking up a fresh copy of hunting regulations is a highly anticipated event. We hear from hunters every year about how they watch the shelves at their local sporting good stores, waiting for the new season's copies.

These regulation booklets bounce around on the dashboard of pickup trucks, get stuffed into hunting packs or rest in office drawers all around Montana. They not only tell you how to hunt legally in Montana but also outline the unbelievable hunting opportunities we have in this state.

On behalf of Fish, Wildlife & Parks, I'd like to say "Thanks!"

Thanks to all hunters and landowners who work hard to keep the amazing hunting opportunities we have in Montana a vibrant part of the culture in our state. With our ample general license opportunities and long hunting seasons, we're the envy of many other states around the country.

When you head into the field this year, you'll again be participating in a tradition and heritage that truly makes Montana, Montana, where the outside is in us all.

Martha Williams, Director

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Highlights

- Deadline for Deer/Elk permits and Nonresident Combination License applications has changed from March 15 to April 1.
- Legal Descriptions will be published in a separate booklet.
- To prevent the spread of CWD, follow carcass disposal guidelines, see page 4.
- All categories of nonresident combination licenses will offer all three types of general combination licenses (Big Game Combo, Elk Combo and Deer Combo) including Home to Hunt, Nonresident Relative of a Resident (Native), Youth Sponsored and College Student.

Reminders for 2020

- Hunters must purchase a base hunting license, in addition to their conservation license, as prerequisites to apply for, or purchase, a hunting license.
- Hunters must purchase a General Deer License to apply for a Deer Permit by April 1.
- Antlerless Elk Permits, valid for antlerless elk, will be available in some regions and must be used with a valid General Elk License. These permits do not allow hunters to take a second elk. Hunters must purchase a General Elk License to apply for any Elk Permit.
- Youth and Apprentice Hunter Information, see page 19.
- Game Damage Hunt Roster Rules, see page 29.
- License Discount Opportunities, see page 18.
- Elk hunters can purchase multiple Elk B licenses, see page 16.
- Landowners or their designees should apply normally online or over the counter at an FWP office by the appropriate deadline and then mail in a separate landowner preference form. Preference forms for Deer and Elk Permits must be received by April 1, and forms for Elk B, Deer B, Antelope and Antelope B must be received by June 1.
- Most applications will no longer be accepted by mail. Worksheets will be available to assist customers with the application process and are available online or at an FWP office. An email address is required of applicants who apply for limited licenses or permits. If a customer is successful, an email will be sent that includes a link to print their carcass tag or permit.

How To Use These Regulations

Montana's vast 147,164 square miles is divided into seven administrative regions, each with a main regional office. Each region is then broken down into hunting districts. The regions are numbered 1 through 7 with the hunting districts in the region corresponding to that number. Example: Region 1 hunting districts start with 1 or 001, Region 2 starts with 2 or 002 etc.

BEFORE HUNTING YOU NEED TO DETERMINE THE FOLLOWING:

What species do you want to hunt?	DEER/ELK	ANTELOPE
Where do you want to hunt? (Find the Hunting District)	Maps Pages 33-41	Maps Pages 116-120
When can you hunt?	Hunting District Regulations— Pages 46-108 Youth & PTHFV holders— Pages 110-111 Multi-district opportunities— Page 114-115 Hunting Hours— Page 135	Hunting District Regulations— Pages 122-128 Multi-district opportunities— Page 128 Hunting Hours— Page 135
How do you want to hunt?	**ARCHERY (requires a BOW & ARROW LICENSE) or GENERAL WEAPON - see page 22 for Laws & Rules and page 25 for Weapons Restrictions.**	
Required licenses or permits and deadlines? Find out what you need and how to get it!	**LICENSE AND PERMIT TYPES – see pages 12-13 for descriptions of all available license types, availability, deadlines and cost.** **RESIDENCY - see page 14**	
It is your responsibility to **know the legal boundaries** of where you are hunting.	See Restricted Areas Descriptions — Pages 26-28	See Restricted Areas Descriptions — Pages 26-28
Complete appropriate Drawing Application for license/permit by deadline.	Find 5 digit code for license/permit— Pages 46-108	Find 5 digit code for license/permit— Pages 122-128

Regulations are adopted by the Fish & Wildlife Commission

Regulations for season dates, structures, and restrictions were adopted by the F&W Commission on February 13, 2020, under the authority granted in MCA 87-1-301 and are valid March 1, 2020, through February 28, 2021. The F&W Commission reserves the authority to amend the seasons, limits and regulations herein if deemed necessary for wildlife management purposes. Statutes and other information, including other agencies' restrictions, are provided as a courtesy and do not fall under Commission authority. *Martha Williams, Director.*

Discrimination Prohibited – State and Federal laws, Title VI of Civil Rights Act of 1964, Section 504 of the Rehabilitation Act of 1973, Title II of the Americans with Disabilities Act of 1990, the Age Discrimination Act of 1975, and Title IX of the Education Amendments of 1972, prohibit discrimination on the basis of race, color, sex, age, religion, national origin, or disability. Anyone believing he or she has been discriminated against (as described above) in any FWP program, activity, or facility may write to FWP Human Resources, 1420 East Sixth Avenue, PO Box 200701, Helena, MT 59620-0701 or the office of Equal Opportunity, U.S. Department of the Interior, Washington, D.C. 20240.

Any changes made to this printed publication can be found on the FWP website or by inquiring at any local FWP office.

Definitions

FURBEARER or FUR-BEARING ANIMAL: marten or sable, otter, muskrat, fisher, mink, bobcat, lynx, wolverine, northern swift fox, and beaver.

GAME ANIMAL: deer, elk, moose, antelope, caribou, mountain sheep, mountain goat, mountain lion, bear, and wild bison.

GENERAL DEER/ELK SEASON: typically, five weeks long from mid-October through late-November; see hunting districts for specific dates by species.

GUIDE: a person who is employed by or who has contracted independently with a licensed outfitter and who accompanies a participant during outdoor recreational activities that are directly related to activities for which the outfitter is licensed.

HUNT: to pursue, shoot, wound, take, harvest, kill, chase, lure, possess, or capture, or the act of a person possessing a weapon, as defined in MCA 45-2-101, or using a dog or a bird of prey for the purpose of shooting, wounding, taking, harvesting, killing, possessing, or capturing wildlife protected by the laws of this state in any location that wildlife may inhabit, whether or not the wildlife is then or subsequently taken. The term includes an attempt to take or harvest by any means, including but not limited to pursuing, shooting, wounding, killing, chasing, luring, possessing, or capturing.

LAW: also known as Statutes or Montana Code Annotated (MCA.) Enacted by the Montana Legislature.

LICENSE: provides an opportunity to "harvest" the species for which the license is valid. See page 15 for more detail.

MIGRATORY GAME BIRD: waterfowl, including wild ducks, wild geese, brant, and swans; cranes, including little brown and sandhill; rails, including coots; Wilson's snipes or jacksnipes; and mourning doves.

NONGAME WILDLIFE: any wild mammal, bird, amphibian, reptile, fish, mollusk, crustacean, or other animal not otherwise lawfully classified by statute or rule.

OUTFITTER: any person who for consideration provides any saddle or pack animal, facilities, camping equipment, vehicle, watercraft, or other conveyance, or personal service for any person to hunt, trap, capture, take, kill, or pursue any game, including fish, and who accompanies that person, either part or all of the way, on an expedition for any of these purposes or supervises a licensed guide or outfitter's assistant in accompanying that person. This does not include a person providing services on real property that the person owns for the primary pursuit of bona fide agricultural interests.

PERMIT: must be used in conjunction with a license; a permit enhances a hunting opportunity with a license.

PREDATORY ANIMAL: coyote, weasel, skunk, and civet cat.

RULE or REGULATION: Agency regulations, standards or statements of applicability that implement, interpret, or set law or policy. Agencies are given rulemaking authority through statute.

SHOULDER SEASON: a hunting opportunity conducted before or after the 5-week general deer/elk season; see individual hunting districts.

SITE OF THE KILL: the location where a game animal or game bird expires and the person responsible for the death takes physical possession of the carcass.

TRAP: to take or harvest or participate in the taking or harvesting of any wildlife protected by state law by setting or placing any mechanical device, snare, deadfall, pit, or device intended to take wildlife or to remove wildlife from any of these devices.

UPLAND GAME BIRDS: sharptailed grouse, blue grouse, spruce (Franklin) grouse, prairie chicken, sage hen or sage grouse, ruffed grouse, ring-necked pheasant, Hungarian partridge, ptarmigan, wild turkey, and chukar partridge.

WILD ANIMAL: an animal that is wild by nature as distinguished from common domestic animals, whether the animal was bred or reared in captivity, and includes birds and reptiles.

List of Acronyms

AISPP: Aquatic Invasive Species Prevention Pass

ARM: Administrative Rule of Montana

CR: Commission Rule

CWD: Chronic Wasting Disease

DNRC: Department of Natural Resources and Conservation

F&W Commission: Fish and Wildlife Commission

FAS: Fishing Access Site

FWP: Fish, Wildlife & Parks

HD: Hunting District

HWY: Highway

LPT: License or Permit Type

MCA: Montana Code Annotated

OTC: Over the Counter

PTHFV: Permit to Hunt from a Vehicle

PTMAE: Permit to Modify Archery Equipment

WMA: Wildlife Management Area

WPA: Waterfowl Production Areas

WRA: Weapons Restriction Areas

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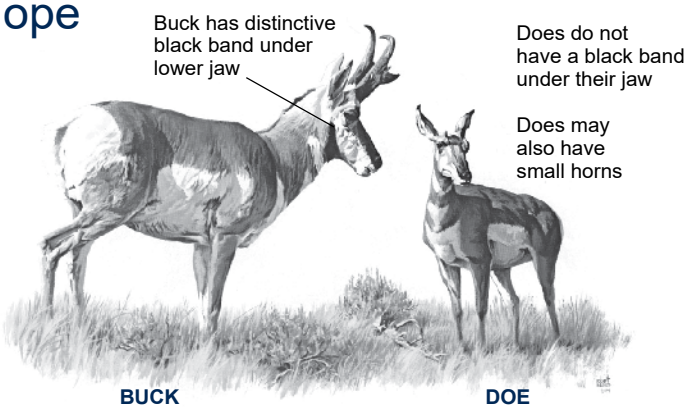
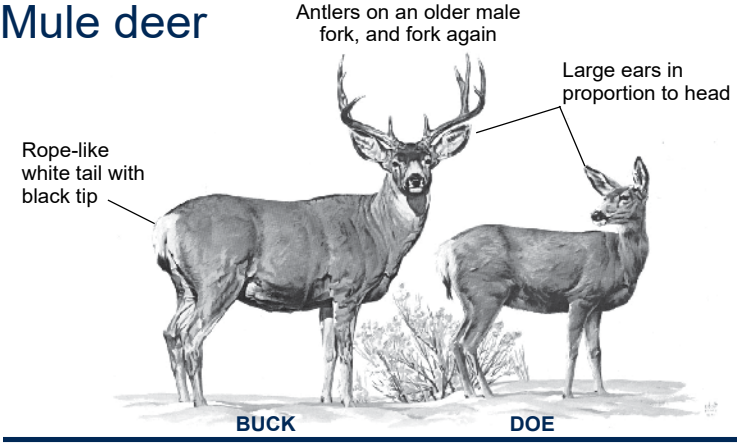
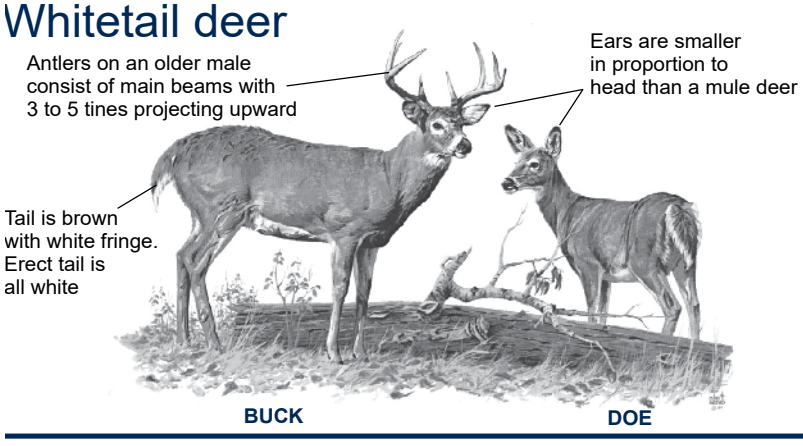
Antelope



Mule deer



Whitetail deer



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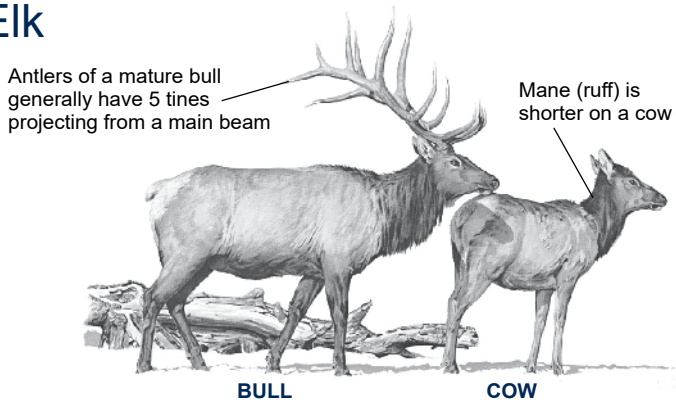


ANTELOPE DEFINITIONS

Buck (Horned): Any antelope with a horn or horns at least 4 inches long as measured from the top of the skull.

Doe/fawn: Any antelope with horns less than 4 inches long as measured from the top of the skull.

DEER DEFINITIONS

Definitions apply to both mule and whitetail species:

Antlered Buck: A deer with an antler or antlers at least 4 inches long as measured from the top of the skull.

Antlerless: A deer without antlers, or with antlers less than 4 inches long as measured from the top of the skull.

CAUTION: Antlers on mule and white-tailed yearling bucks may look similar

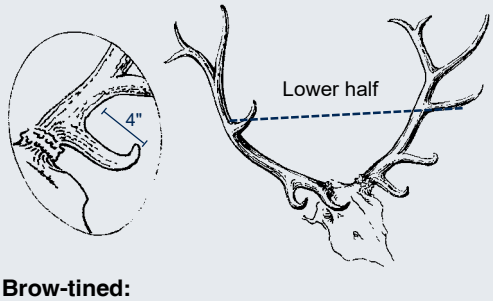
ELK DEFINITIONS

Montana has some elk hunting districts with special regulations governing the type of bull elk that is legal to harvest. These diagrams and definitions are intended to assist the hunter in interpreting these regulations.

Antlered Bull: Any elk having an antler or antlers at least 4 inches long as measured from the top of the skull.

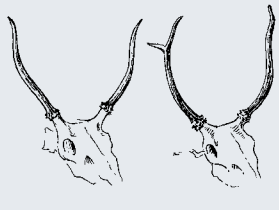
Antlerless: A female or juvenile male with antlers less than 4 inches long as measured from the top of the skull.

Antler Point Measurement: Legal antler point must be 4 inches or longer.



Brow-tined:
Any elk having an antler or antlers with a visible point on the lower half of either main beam that is greater than or equal to four inches long.

Spike Bull:
Any elk having antlers that do not branch or, if branched, branch is less than 4 inches long measured from the main antler beam.



Either-sex: A male or female animal of any age.

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Important Dates

2020 Season Dates

These dates represent the "general" season dates. Check the individual hunting district regulations for the most accurate season dates and regulations.

Game Animals

Antelope
- 900 series ..... Aug 15–Nov 8
- archery ..... Sept 5–Oct 9
- general ..... Oct 10–Nov 8

Caribou ..... No Season

Deer & Elk
- archery ..... Sept 5–Oct 18
- youth, two-day hunt; deer only ..... Oct 15–Oct 16
- general ..... Oct 24–Nov 29
- shoulder seasons....check the regulations
- backcountry –HDs 150, 280, 316*
  - archery ..... Sept 5–Sept 14
  - general ..... Sept 15–Nov 29

*HD 316 does not have an Archery Only Season

2020 Application/Purchase Deadlines

Game Animals

Antelope (apply by) ..... June 1

Deer & Elk
- permits (apply by) ..... Apr 1
- B licenses (apply by) ..... June 1

Super Tags
- Antelope, Bighorn Sheep, Bison, Deer, Elk, Moose, Mountain Goat and Mountain Lion ..... June 30

see species-specific regulations for license purchase restrictions.

Drawing Results

License	Drawing Results	Refunds Mailed
Nonresident Combination	Mid-April	End of April
Deer & Elk Permits	Mid-April	End of April
SuperTags for: Antelope, Bighorn Sheep, Bison, Deer, Elk, Moose, Mountain Goat, Mountain Lion	After July 8	NA
Antelope Archery 900-20, Deer B, Elk B, Licenses	Mid-June	End of August
Antelope & Antelope B	Early August	Early Sept.

Check for drawing results at **fwp.mt.gov/myfwpApps/myfwp_input.action**

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TO HUNT & FISH ON PRIVATE LAND

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ALL HUNTERS Required Prerequisites

Required Prerequisites	Resident Cost	Resident Youth and Senior	Resident Disabled	Non-resident Cost	Additional Information
Aquatic Invasive Species Prevention pass (AISPP)	$2.00 (ages 16+)	$2.00	$2.00	$7.50 (ages 16+)	Required in addition to a fishing license to fish in Montana. Supports the aquatic invasive species prevention and inspection program. Learn more at CleanDrainDryMT.com.
Base Hunting License	$10.00	$10.00	$10.00	$15.00	Required prerequisite for hunting or applying for a permit or license.
Conservation License	$8.00	$4.00	$8.00	$10.00	Required prerequisite.
Bow and Arrow License	$10.00	$10.00	$10.00	$10.00	Required during the Archery Only Season for any species or to archery hunt in an Arch-Equip only area or hunting district.

RESIDENT License and Permit Availability Chart

Individual License/Permit	Resident 18-61 years Cost	Resident Youth (12-17) or Senior (62+)	Resident Disabled	Deadline to apply	Additional Information
DEER					
General License	$16.00	$8.00	$8.00	-	
Deer Permit - Drawing only	$5.00	$5.00	$5.00	April 1	Application fee only. Permit must be used in conjunction with General deer license. Residents must have current year General deer license to apply.
Deer B License - Drawing only	$15.00	$15.00	$15.00	June 1	Antlerless only.
Deer B License - OTC	$10.00	$10.00	$10.00	-	Over-the-counter. Antlerless only. Valid in specific district(s). Purchase beginning August 10.
ELK					
General License	$20.00	$10.00	$10.00	-	
Elk Permit - Drawing only	$9.00	$9.00	$9.00	April 1	Residents must have current year General Elk License to apply. A permit must be used in conjunction with a General Elk License.
Elk B License - Drawing only	$25.00	$25.00	$25.00	June 1	Antlerless only
Elk B License - OTC	$20.00	$20.00	$20.00	-	Over-the-counter. Antlerless only. Valid in specific district(s). Purchase beginning August 10.
Antelope					
900 Archery Antelope - Drawing only	$19.00	$19.00	$19.00	June 1	Must be first and only choice.
Antelope or Antelope B License - Drawing only	$19.00	$19.00	$19.00	June 1	
Disabled - Drawing only	$19.00	$19.00	$19.00	June 1	Special disabled antelope application fee required. For information call 406-444-2950.
Sportsman's Combination Includes Deer, Elk, State Lands, Upland Bird (excluding turkey) & Season Fishing Licenses. $8.00 or $4.00 Conservation License, $10.00 fee for the Base Hunting License and $2.00 AISPP fee are also required.					
Military Recognition	$0.00	-	-	-	Must go through certification process only at FWP offices. No cost Conservation License included.
Sportsman's with bear	$77.00	$77.00	$77.00	-	
Sportsman's without bear	$62.00	$31.00	$62.00	-	

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NONRESIDENT License and Permit Availability Chart

Opportunities	Non-resident Cost	Deadline to apply	Additional Information
Nonresident Native (NR)			
NR Big Game Combination License	$523.00	-	For Montana native born with current Montana resident relative; other qualifications apply. For information call 406-444-2950. The NR Big Game Combination includes General Deer, General Elk, Upland Bird (excluding turkey), and Season Fishing Licenses. The NR Elk Combination has everything except Deer, and the NR Deer Combo has everything except Elk.
NR Elk Combination License	$442.00	-	
NR Deer Combination License	$306.00	-	
Season Fishing License	$43.00	-	$15 AISPP fee also required.
Bird License	$55.00	-	Conservation License and a Base Hunting License also required.
Deer B (OTC)	$37.50	-	Antlerless deer
Elk B (OTC)	$135.00	-	Antlerless elk
Big Game Combination: Includes General Deer, General Elk, Upland Bird (excluding turkey), and Season Fishing licenses. For information call 406-444-2950.			
Big Game Combination- Drawing	$1046.00	April 1	
Big Game Combination- Youth (12-17) Sponsored	$523.00	-	For information call 406-444-2950.
Big Game Combination- College Student	$523.00	-	Certification required for nonresident students attending a Montana college full-time. For information call 406-444-2950. License available at any FWP office after September 14.
Deer **Deer Combination: Includes General Deer, Upland Bird (excluding turkey), and Season Fishing licenses. For information call 406-444-2950.**			
Deer Combination- Drawing	$612.00	April 1	
Deer Combination- Youth (12-17)- Sponsored	$306.00	-	Sponsored youth must have nonresident youth license as a prerequisite.
Deer Combination- College Student	$306.00	-	Certification required for nonresident students attending a Montana college full-time. For information call 406-444-2950. License available at any FWP office after September 14.
Deer Permit- Drawing	$5.00	April 1	Nonresidents must also apply for a Deer License when applying for a Deer Permit. A permit must be used in conjunction with a General Deer License.
Deer B - Drawing	$80.00	June 1	Antlerless deer
Deer B - OTC	$75.00	-	Purchase beginning August 10.
Elk **Elk Combination: Includes General Elk, Upland Bird (excluding turkey), and Season Fishing licenses. For information call 406-444-2950.**			
Elk Combination- Drawing	$884.00	April 1	
Elk Combination- Youth (12-17)- sponsored	$442.00	-	Sponsored youth must have nonresident youth license as a prerequisite.
Elk Combination- College Student	$442.00	-	Certification required for nonresident students attending a Montana college full-time. For information call 406-444-2950. License available at any FWP office after September 14.
Elk Permit - Drawing	$9.00	April 1	Non-residents must also apply for an Elk License when applying for an Elk Permit. A permit must be used in conjunction with a General Elk License.
Elk B - Drawing	$275.00	June 1	Antlerless elk- includes drawing fee
Elk B - OTC	$270.00	-	Over-the-counter. Antlerless only. Valid in specific district(s).
Antelope			
Archery 900 Drawing	$205.00	June 1	Must be first and only choice.
Antelope-Drawing	$205.00	June 1	
Antelope Disabled-Drawing	$205.00	-	Special disabled antelope application fee required. For information call 406-444-2950.

Obtain A License Or Permit (MCA 87-2-104 & 87-2-704)

- Only one license or permit of any type may be purchased each year, unless otherwise specified. For example, a hunter may purchase more than one deer B license.
- Many licenses or permits may be purchased from FWP license providers, FWP offices or online licensing. Some licenses and permits are available only through a drawing.
- Refer to the Licenses Available Chart, pages 12-13, for a complete list of resident and nonresident licenses and application or purchase deadlines.

Online Licensing

- FWP requires hunters to apply for special permits/licenses online or over the counter at an FWP office. Safeguards with these systems ensure valid applications and your information is immediately entered into the automated system and retained for future license purchases or applications.
- You may apply for permits and/or licenses and purchase many general hunting licenses from FWP Online Licensing between approximately 5:00 a.m. and 11:45 p.m., Montana local time, 7 days a week within applicable sales dates.
- Go to **app.mt.gov/als/index/index.html** and follow the instructions.
- Online purchases must be made by using a MasterCard, Visa, American Express or debit card.
- Montana residents must have purchased a Conservation License through the automated licensing system (ALS) in a previous license year and have an ALS number to buy licenses online.
- **All license purchases and applications are final and cannot be changed or withdrawn. (ARM 12.3.140)**

Drawing Applications

- All applications for deer and elk permits must be submitted on or before April 1. Applications for deer B, elk B, antelope and/or antelope B licenses must be submitted on or before June 1.
- Both resident and nonresident hunters are eligible to apply for most of the licenses awarded through the drawings. By state law, nonresidents are limited to, but not guaranteed, 10 percent of the license and/or permit quota.
- Drawings are based upon the final quotas adopted by the F&W Commission, which may differ from the quotas listed in the printed hunting district regulations.
- For specific license/permit opportunities, please refer to the hunting district regulations for a complete list of all available hunting opportunities for each hunting district.

Party Applications

In Montana, a "party" means a group of hunters are applying together for the chance to obtain a hunting license or permit. If successful, each hunter must harvest their own game. **It is unlawful to loan or transfer a license to another hunter or to use a license issued to another person**.

All party members must apply in the same manner, either all online using the same party number provided by the system to the party establisher, or all turned in together over the counter at an FWP office.

For online applications: The party establisher must list all party members and provide the party number to all members. Each member must apply online as a member of that party using the number assigned to the establisher.

Licenses and Permits Through a Drawing

- You may apply for a permit and/or license that allows you to hunt in an otherwise restricted area or time period. You may also decide to participate in the bonus point system.
- Residents must hold a General Deer License before applying for a Deer Permit.
- Residents must hold a general elk license before applying for an elk permit.
- Nonresidents must apply for a Big Game or Deer Combination License when applying for a Deer Permit.
- Nonresidents must apply for a Big Game or Elk Combination License when applying for an Elk Permit.
- Nonresident holders of a Landowner-Sponsored Deer Combination License are reminded that the license (including Deer B licenses) entitles them to hunt deer only on the deeded lands of the sponsoring landowner. This license may not be used on leased or public land. However, the license is valid statewide for fishing and hunting upland game birds.
- Nonresident holders of a Landowner-Sponsored Deer Combination License may apply for a Deer Permit or Deer B License only in the hunting district where they are authorized to hunt deer.

Residency

- It is unlawful to swear to or to affirm a false statement in order to obtain an original or replacement resident hunting and/or fishing license OR to assist an unqualified applicant in obtaining a resident license (MCA 87-6-302).

Resident (MCA 87-2-102)

- To be a lawful Montana resident and eligible to purchase any Montana resident fishing, hunting, and trapping licenses, you must,
  - have been physically living in Montana for at least 180 consecutive days immediately prior to purchasing a resident license;
  - register your vehicle(s) in Montana;
  - be registered to vote in Montana if you're registered to vote at all;
  - not possess (or have applied for any) current resident hunting, fishing, or trapping privileges in another state or country;
  - file Montana state income tax returns as a resident, if you are required to file.
  - Once you have established your residency, you must continue to meet all these requirements and physically reside in Montana as your principal or primary place of abode for not less than 120 days per year (days need not be consecutive).
  - A person is NOT considered a resident for the purposes of this section if the person:
    - > claims residence in any other state or country for any purpose; or
    - > is an absentee property owner paying property tax on property in Montana.
- To purchase an annual resident Conservation License, you will be required to show a valid Montana Driver's License (MDL), a valid Montana Identification Card (MIC), or a valid Tribal Identification Card.
- If your MDL or MIC was issued less than six months ago, you may be required to show additional proof of residency. An out-of-state driver's license is NOT an acceptable form of ID for resident license purchases. Contact your local FWP office for specifics.

Nonresident (MCA 87-2-506)

- Montana's nonresident guests are eligible to purchase or apply for most Montana fishing, hunting, and trapping licenses. By state law, nonresidents are limited to, but not guaranteed, 10 percent of the license and/or permit quota for a district. The "Licenses Available Chart" provides details.
- Nonresident unmarried minors, at least 12 (by Jan 16, 2021) but not older than 17 years of age, can hunt and fish in Montana as a resident if the minor's parents, legal guardian, or parent with joint custody, sole custody, or visitation rights is a lawful resident of Montana. See "Youth Hunter" chart for details.

Armed Forces (MCA 87-2-102)

A member of the regular armed forces of the United States, a member's spouse or dependent who resides in the member's household, or a member of the armed forces of a foreign government attached to the regular armed forces of the United States is considered a resident for Montana hunting, fishing, and trapping licenses if:

-the member is a Montana resident as listed above and continues to meet the residency criteria of income tax filing and voter registration, the member is not required to meet the other residency

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criteria in 87-2-102 and may hold resident licenses in another state or country; or,

- the member is currently stationed in and assigned to active duty in Montana, has resided in Montana for at least 30 days, and presents official assignment orders and a certificate verifying successful completion of an approved hunter safety course from any state or province.

Prerequisites

Aquatic Invasive Species Prevention Pass (AISPP) (MCA 87-2-130)

Required in addition to a fishing license if you are 16 or older. Supports the Aquatic Invasive Species Prevention and Inspection Program. Learn more at: **CleanDrainDryMT.com**

Base Hunting License (MCA 87-2-116)

A required prerequisite for hunting or applying for a permit or license. This is an annual fee and will be charged at the time the hunter purchases or applies for his/her first hunting license (including upland and migratory bird).

Conservation License (MCA 87-2-201; MCA 87-2-202)

- Each new license year, a new Conservation License is required to purchase any fishing, trapping, or hunting license(s), or to apply for licenses/permits. The Montana license year begins on March 1 and runs through the last day of February of the following year.
- In compliance with the Federal Welfare Reform Laws, Montana law requires each resident and nonresident hunter, including youth, to provide the last four digits of his/her Social Security number when purchasing a Conservation License.

Hunter Education

Hunter Education Requirements (MCA 87-2-105)

If you were born after January 1, 1985, you are required to show proof of completing a Montana hunter safety and education course or an approved hunter safety course from any other state or province prior to applying for or purchasing a hunting license, whether the hunting license is for the rifle or archery season.

Bowhunter Education Requirements (MCA 87-2-105)

To purchase a Montana Bow and Arrow License, a hunter must:

- provide a certificate of completing the National Bowhunter Education Foundation course, or
- provide any prior year's bowhunting/archery stamp, tag, permit, or license from any state or province.

Duplicate Certificates

Bowhunter or hunter education certificates of completion for the Montana hunter education and/or bowhunter education courses may be obtained from FWP's website at: **fwp.mt.gov/education/hunter**

License and Permit Types

Antelope Licenses

Antelope License (either-sex)

- License holders may lawfully take antelope subject to all specifications on the license. The total number of antelope licenses an individual may hold is three, only one of which may be an either-sex license.
- Both resident and nonresident hunters are eligible to apply for antelope licenses awarded through the drawings.
- By state law (MCA 87-2-506), nonresidents are limited to, but not guaranteed, 10 percent of the license and/or permit quota.
- Drawings are based upon the final quotas adopted by the F&W Commission, which may differ from the quotas listed in the hunting district regulations.
- Archers must hold a valid antelope license and a Bow and Arrow (archery) license to hunt during the Archery Only Season.

Antelope B License (doe/fawn) - Nonresident Only

- The cost of the first nonresident antelope B license whether issued through FWP drawings, over-the-counter, or through surplus is $200. Additional nonresident antelope B license cost is $50.

900-20 Multi-Region Antelope Archery Only/ArchEquip Only License – Drawing Only

- A limited number of licenses are available.
- License is valid for either-sex antelope.
- Hunting is restricted to ArchEquip Only.
- Archers using this license during the antelope General Season must wear hunter orange.
- Applications must be made online at **fwp.mt.gov** no later than 11:45 p.m. Montana local time June 1, or over the counter at a FWP office by close of business June 1.
- Hunters who apply for this 900-20 multi-region antelope license must list 900-20 as their first and only either-sex choice.
- These licenses are valid in any hunting district beginning with the number 3, 4, 5, 6 and/or 7, except in HD 313.

Bow and Arrow License (MCA 87-2-708)

A bow and arrow license, plus the proper hunting license is required during: (1) the deer, elk and/or antelope Archery Only Season; or (2) to archery hunt in an Arch-Equip only area or hunting district.

Deer Licenses & Permits

General Deer License

The General Deer License is valid for one deer. Hunters may hold only one General Deer License. It can be used for deer as indicated under the "General Deer License" heading on the deer and elk hunting district pages of these regulations.

- Residents may buy a sportsman's license, which includes a General Deer License. Some disabled, youth, and senior hunters may qualify for discounted licenses.
- Most **nonresidents** cannot buy their general deer license over the counter. They must obtain a general deer license through one of the following drawings:
  - Big game (deer and elk) combination license (17,000 issued), or a
  - Deer combination license (4,600 issued), or a
  - Landowner sponsored license (2,000 issued).

Nonresidents can apply for only one of these combo licenses each year. All of these license types include season fishing and upland bird licenses. Currently demand is greater than supply, so to get a deer license, you need to apply in a random lottery drawing by April 1.

Deer B License

- Valid for one deer during a specific time period, or for a certain species and sex, and in a particular hunting district or group of districts. May be offered through a drawing or over-the-counter.
- A deer B license is usually a license for antlerless mule deer or white-tailed deer, depending on the license type and hunting district.
- The deer B license allows you to harvest a deer in addition to the deer you could harvest with your general deer license.
- There is no particular order in which the general deer and deer B licenses must be purchased or used.
- A hunter may possess a total of seven deer B licenses in any combination. Game damage and management deer B licenses do not count toward this total.
- Most deer B licenses are available through the June 1 drawing but those with UNL quotas are available for purchase at over the counter at License Providers along with FWP Online Licensing beginning in August.

Single-Region Deer B Licenses for White-tailed Deer

- A hunter may purchase only one single-region deer B license for white-tailed deer per year.
- The single-region deer B license for white-tailed deer is in addition to other deer B licenses a person may obtain through a drawing or purchase at License Providers. You must designate the region in which you will use the single-region deer B license for white-tailed deer at the time of purchase. Check the hunting district in which you will hunt for specific regulations and valid dates for the single-region license.

- Licenses are available beginning August 10 from License Providers, including FWP Online Licensing.

Deer Permit

- Permits are valid for hunting the specified sex-age class during the time period(s) listed.
- Hunters who receive a deer permit must use it with a current general deer license. A deer permit does not allow you to take a second deer.
- Hunters who receive a deer permit valid for taking an antlered buck mule deer (with their general deer license) are restricted to taking an antlered buck mule deer only in the district or portion of district specified on the permit. They may not hunt antlered buck mule deer anywhere else in Montana even if the General Season or Archery Only Season is open to mule deer buck hunting with a general deer license. This applies to all deer permit areas, whether limited or UNL, for antlered buck mule deer.
- Deer permits are available through the April 1 drawing to residents and nonresidents. Be sure to check individual hunting district regulations for specific deer permit details. By state law, nonresidents are limited to, but not guaranteed, 10 percent of the license/permit quota.
- Residents must hold a general deer license before applying for a deer permit.
- Nonresidents must hold a Big Game or Deer Combination License before applying for a deer permit.

Elk Licenses & Permits

General Elk License

The General Elk License is valid for one elk. Hunters may hold only one General Elk License. It can be used for elk as indicated under the "General Elk License" heading on the deer and elk hunting district pages of these regulations.

- Resident hunters may purchase this license over the counter at FWP offices and other license providers for $20 plus the required Conservation License ($8) and Base Hunting License ($10). Residents may buy a Sportsman's License (prices vary), which includes a General Elk License. Some disabled, youth, and senior hunters may qualify for discounted licenses.
- Most nonresidents cannot buy their general elk license over the counter. They must obtain a general elk license through the drawing for one of the 17,000 Big Game Combination Licenses, which is also good for fishing and upland bird hunting, and may include deer if specified in the application. Demand is greater than supply, so to get an Elk License, you need to apply in a random lottery drawing by April 1.

Elk B License

- The Elk B License is valid for taking an antlerless elk during a specific time period and in a particular hunting district or group of districts.
- The Elk B Licenses are designed to control elk numbers, and many are only valid on private land.
- A limited Elk B License is obtained only through the drawing and has an application deadline date of June 1.
- UNL Elk B Licenses have no limit on the number of licenses sold and are available from License Providers, including FWP Online Licensing. See individual hunting districts for details.
- The only prerequisites for the Elk B License are a Conservation License and Base Hunting License.
- A hunter can hold up to 3 elk licenses in a year, only one of which can be a General Elk License. Antlerless Elk B Licenses purchased through surplus sales or valid during late shoulder seasons can be included among the 3 elk licenses a hunter may hold in any given year.
- Elk B License hunting opportunities may be restricted to portions of individual hunting districts. See individual hunting districts for specific details.

Elk Permit

- Elk permits are allotted by drawing only. The application deadline is April 1. Residents must hold a general elk license before applying for an elk permit. Nonresidents must hold an Elk or Big Game Elk Combination License. before applying for an elk permit. Check individual hunting district for specific details. By state law, nonresidents are limited to, but not guaranteed, 10 percent of the license/permit quota.
- Elk permits must be used with a general license. They do not allow a hunter to harvest an additional elk. A permit allows you to hunt in a restricted area or time period where harvest restrictions exist for General Elk License holders.
- Elk permits may be for antlered or antlerless elk. Holding an antlerless elk permit prohibits harvesting an antlered elk in the same hunting district. Permit holders are not restricted from hunting elk in another hunting district, provided they still hold a valid General Elk License.
- Learn about the hunting district you wish to hunt before applying for a permit. For instance, do not apply for a backcountry area if you aren't willing and prepared to backpack in. And do not apply in hunting districts that are mostly private land if you aren't certain you can get permission.
- In all or a portion of many hunting districts, a hunter is required to have successfully drawn a special permit before hunting a bull elk, brow-tined bull elk, or antlerless elk in all or a portion of the hunting seasons. See individual hunting districts for specific regulations.

Replacing a Lost License (MCA 87-2-104)

Replacements of lost, stolen, or destroyed licenses or permits may be purchased at FWP offices or FWP License Providers. A second replacement license for the same species within a two-year period may only be purchased at an FWP office. A person may not replace a license requiring a carcass tag a third time for the same species within a two-year period unless they have received approval from a warden at an FWP office. A fee of $5 per license will be charged for each replacement license.

It is unlawful to:

- Swear or affirm to a false statement in order to obtain a replacement license.
- Possess an original as well as a replacement license(s). If the original is found, it must be returned to FWP at any regional office.
- Allow a license of any type to be used by another person.

SuperTag Lottery (MCA 87-1-271)

Open to residents and nonresidents.

Deadline to Purchase SuperTag Chances

($5 each)

June 30

- Resident and nonresident hunters can buy an UNL number of $5 chances to win a Montana hunting license for antelope, bighorn sheep, bison, deer, elk, moose, mountain goat and mountain lion.
- An individual may be successful in winning one or a combination of these SuperTags per year.
- Each SuperTag license allows one to hunt in any Montana hunting district valid for that species, even if the quota for that district has been met.
- Moose, bighorn sheep and mountain goat 7-year waiting period does not apply to SuperTags.
- Chances are sold electronically at all FWP License Providers or via the online licensing system at **fwp.mt.gov.**
- Proceeds from the sale of SuperTag chances will enhance public hunting access and boost FWP enforcement efforts.

Purchase your fishing license, hunting licenses(s) and apply for drawings online

app.mt.gov/als/index/index.html

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Bonus Point System (MCA 87-2-117)

Bonus points can increase your chances to draw a license or permit.

- Bonus points essentially offer you additional drawing chances and are used for first-choice drawings only.
- Existing bonus points will be mathematically "squared" prior to the drawing. That means if you already have 3 "base" bonus points those will be "squared" and you'll then have 9 points going into the drawing.
- If you wish to participate in the bonus point program (to use or gain points), make sure to click "YES" on the bonus point question, the $20 (nonresident) or $2 (resident) bonus point fee for each license/permit will be added to the total.
- If you're unsuccessful, you'll be awarded an additional base bonus point for next year's drawing.
- Bonus points are nontransferable; they cannot be transferred between the species drawings or individuals.
- The base bonus points for party applications are the average of their individual base bonus points added together and rounded to the nearest whole number.
- You may purchase one bonus point per year; either at the time of application or between July 1 and September 30 of the current year. For example: if you submit an application for an elk permit on April 1, you may also purchase a bonus point at that time. If you do not choose to purchase a bonus point at that time, you may not purchase one from July - September. You may, however, purchase a bonus point for a different species between July 1 and September 30.
- The fee to purchase a bonus point without applying is $15 per species for residents, and the nonresident fees are $25 per species with the exception of moose, sheep, and goat which are $75 per species. **Note:** You cannot apply for and purchase bonus points in the same year.

Preference Points

Preference points are used for nonresident combination licenses and increase the likelihood of obtaining a combination license.

- ▶ Preference points essentially move you ahead in line. For instance, a person with three preference points is in front of the person with two, and so on.
- ▶ If you wish to take part in the Preference Point Program for your Combination License, make sure to click "YES" on the preference point question. The additional $50 fee will be added to your total.
- ▶ Preference points accumulated will be used during the current drawing whether you purchase an additional preference point or not. Any accumulated preference points are lost after three years of not applying for a Nonresident Combination License.

Landowner Preference (MCA 87-2-705)

- Montana landowners (resident and nonresident) may qualify for preference in the license/permit drawings for deer, elk, and antelope.
- In order to claim landowner preference for deer B, deer permit, and/or antelope drawings, a landowner must own at least 160 acres of land within the hunting district applied for. If the license/permit is only valid for a portion of the hunting district, the landowner must own land within that portion and the land must be used primarily for agricultural purposes.
- In order to claim landowner preference for the Elk B License and/or elk permit drawings, a landowner must own or be contracting to purchase at least 640 contiguous acres of land used by elk. If the license/permit is only valid for a portion of the hunting district, a landowner must own land within that portion to claim preference.
- A landowner may designate his/her preference to a member of his/her immediate family (blood or marriage related), paid employee who has state, federal, or FICA taxes withheld from pay. Only one person may use designated preference in a partnership or corporation.
- Landowners or their designees should apply normally online or over the counter at a FWP office by the appropriate deadline and then mail in a separate landowner preference form. Preference forms for the deer and elk permits must be received by April 1, and forms for Elk B, Deer B, Antelope and Antelope B must be received by June 1.

Fees and Refunds

- In addition to the cost of each permit or license, there is a $5 nonrefundable application fee for each license or permit you apply for.
- In some situations, FWP may refund resident or nonresident (in full or in part) fees for licenses and/or drawings.
- The appropriate documentation (death certificate, medical statement, etc.) must accompany the unused license(s) and a signed request form certifying the license(s) has not been used. Nonresident license holders should call 406-444-2950 for information.
- Situations include:

Reason	*Deadline*	*Refund*
Death of licensee	12/31/20	100%
Death of immediate family member	12/31/20	90%
Medical emergency	12/31/20	90%

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- For information on drawings for big game hunting.
- For surplus license (any leftover licenses from the drawings) information (available by early August).

License Discount Opportunities (MCA 87-2-817)

- Montana resident members of the Montana National Guard, Federal Reserve or Active Duty, who participated after September 11, 2001, in a contingency operation outside the state for two months and have been released from active duty or discharged, are entitled to a free Conservation License and a Fishing License OR a Sportsman without Bear License for a fee of $12 (includes the Base Hunting and AISPP fee). These licenses will be issued only at FWP offices. DD 214 and supporting documentation are required.
  - To take advantage of this opportunity you must obtain the license in the year you are released from military service, or in the following year.
- A veteran with certain combat connected injuries may be entitled to half-priced licenses for deer and antelope. Up to 50 licenses will be issued annually. Contact FWP's License Bureau for details at 406-444-2950. (MCA 87-2-803)
- Nonresidents who hold a current upland game bird license, big game combination, elk combination, or deer combination license may purchase a nonresident turkey license for $57.50.
- Nonresident Youth Big Game Elk or Deer Combination Licenses will be sold to nonresident youth who have an adult immediate family member sponsor (applicant's natural or adoptive parent, grandparent, brother, or sister who is 18 years of age or older) who possesses a current resident General Deer or General Elk License or a Nonresident Big Game, Elk, or Deer Combination License. The youth must be accompanied by the sponsor while hunting. Worksheets along with prices are available from FWP's website at **fwp.mt.gov** and may be processed at any FWP office. For further details, contact Licensing at 406-444-2950. (MCA 87-2-522)
- Nonresident students enrolled as a full-time student (12 or more credits) in a postsecondary educational institution in Montana or nonresident full-time students in another state who graduated from a Montana high school and their parent is a Montana resident are eligible for discounted hunting licenses. The Nonresident College Student Big Game, Elk or Deer Combination Licenses include Conservation, Fishing, Upland Bird, Deer and/or Elk. A Base Hunting License and AISPP are prerequisites. (MCA 87-2-525)
  - Application for a Nonresident College Student Combination License may be made after the second Monday in September at any FWP Regional office or FWP Headquarters in Helena. To qualify, the applicant shall present a valid student identification card and copy of paid tuition as a current full-time enrollment at a post-secondary education institution in Montana. See page 12-13 for license prices. Proof of completing a hunter education course is also required.

Donation Options

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When purchasing your fishing, hunting and recreation licenses you have the option to donate to different programs. Below is a description of each.

Wolf Mitigation

Donations will be used by the Montana Department of Livestock to contract for wolf management with the U.S. Department of Agriculture's Wildlife Services for flight time, collaring and lethal control of wolves.

Warm Water Fisheries Enhancement

This program supports projects that improve Montana's warm water fisheries and habitats.

Hunters Against Hunger

Donations to this program help cover the cost of processing and distributing the meat that hunters donate to feed hungry Montanans. There will be no cost or processing fees to hunters who drop meat off at participating processors. For a list of processors visit mfbn.org/hunters-against-hunger/.

MT-PLAN

This DNRC grant program facilitates collaboration among recreationists, private landowners, and land management agencies to enhance public access throughout the state.

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Youth Hunter

Special 2-day Youth Deer Hunt: October 15th & 16th, 2020

Youth hunters and apprentice hunters 10-15 may hunt during the Youth Statewide Two-day Deer Hunt. See chart.

Youth Deer & Elk Hunts

Some hunting districts offer special opportunities for youth ages 10-15. See pages 110-111.

Youth Elk Permits and Elk B Licenses

Elk permits and Elk B Licenses only for youth 12 (by Jan 16, 2021) -15 years of age to hunt elk as listed in the specific hunting district regulations have the following requirements:

To qualify, the applicant must:

- be 12 (by Jan 16, 2021) -15 years of age at time of application.
- show proof of successfully completing hunter education.

Youth that are 15 years of age at the start of the general deer & elk season are eligible to hunt in the youth areas with a general license even if they turn 16 years of age during the season.

Free license for terminally ill youth (MCA 87-2-805)

- Montana law allows terminally ill resident or nonresident youth under 17 years of age to receive a free one-time Deer and Elk License.
- The youth must be accompanied by a licensed outfitter or an adult who has a license to hunt in Montana.
- Minimum age and hunter education requirements may be waived for this license. For information call Licensing at 406-444-2950.

Youth Hunter Opportunity Chart

Age	Opportunities and Special Requirements
Available To Resident & Nonresident	
10 and over	An apprentice hunter is a resident or nonresident certified at an FWP office. This license allows the apprentice to hunt some species, while accompanied by a mentor, without first completing a hunter education course. An apprentice hunting certification is limited to two years before a person must complete a hunter education course. The apprentice hunter may not apply for or purchase a bighorn sheep, black bear, mountain lion, or wolf license or a hunting license or permit with a limited quota. Other restrictions apply. See our website for details at: **fwp.mt.gov/hunting/licenses/all/apprentice.html**
11	A youth 11 years of age who will reach 12 years of age by January 16, 2021, may (after completing hunter education): • Apply for any special drawing, except spring turkey – must be able to show proof of having completed an approved hunter education course at the time of application. • After August 15, 2020, hunt any game species for which their license is valid during an open season.
under 14	In order to carry or use a firearm in public, a youth under 14 years of age must be accompanied by a person having charge or custody of the child; or be under the supervision of a qualified firearms safety instructor or an adult 18 years of age or older who has been authorized by the youth's parent or guardian, as per Montana law 45-8-344.
10-15	Youth Statewide Two-Day Deer Hunt – • The F&W Commission is allowing two additional days to provide a hunting opportunity to encourage youth participation in deer hunting. • Lawfully licensed hunters 10 through 15 years of age may hunt deer during the Statewide Two-day Youth Only Deer Hunt –October 15-16. – During these two days, youth hunters with a general deer, deer permit or deer B license may take those deer species and sex otherwise available on their general deer, deer permit or deer B license the first day of the general firearm season in the specific hunting district the youth is hunting. • A adult at least 18 years of age must accompany the youth hunter in the field. • Shooting hours, hunter education requirements and all other regulations that apply to the general deer firearm season shall apply to this youth two-day deer hunt.
Available To Nonresident Only	
12-17	Nonresident Youth Combination Licenses will be sold to nonresident youth who have an adult immediate-family member sponsor (applicant's natural or adoptive parent, grandparent, brother or sister who is 18 years of age or older and possesses a current resident or nonresident general deer or elk license). The youth must be accompanied by the sponsor while hunting. Applications are available from FWP's website and may be processed at any FWP office. For further details and an application, contact Licensing at 406-444-2950.

Hunters with a Disability

- Certification for "special considerations" are lifetime certifications and do not need to be renewed annually.
- For applications, detailed eligibility requirements, and information on licenses and permits for hunters with disabilities contact any FWP office. See contacts on page 129.

Resident With a Disability Conservation License (MCA 87-2-803)

- Residents certified as permanently and substantially disabled, as defined by FWP rules, who purchase a conservation license, may purchase a fishing license for half price, AISPP is also required. If they also purchase a base hunting license for $10, they may then purchase general deer, general elk, and/or upland game bird (excluding turkey) licenses for half price. Applications for a Resident With a Disability Conservation License are available at all FWP offices and FWP website.
- The certification is valid for the life of the holder or until changed by the Montana Legislature.

Permit To Hunt From a Vehicle (PTHFV) (MCA 87-2-803)

- Residents and nonresidents certified as permanently and substantially nonambulatory, as defined by State Law, may apply for a PTHFV.
  - Specific PTHFV field regulations apply. Noncompliance may result in loss of this privilege.

Permit To Modify Archery Equipment (PTMAE)

- Residents and nonresidents certified as permanently and substantially disabled, as defined by FWP rules, may apply for a PTMAE. The PTMAE allows a person with a disability to use archery tackle that supports the bow, and draws, holds, and releases the string to accommodate the individual disability.
- Arrows are not exempt, and must meet requirements for the Archery Only Season.
- This permit does not entitle the holder to use a crossbow during the Archery Only Season.
- The permit only allows modification of lawful archery tackle and must be used with a valid bow and arrow license and appropriate hunting license.

Certain Combat Disabled Veterans (MCA 87-2-803)

- A veteran with certain combat–connected injuries may be entitled to half-priced licenses for deer and antelope. Up to 50 licenses will be issued annually. Contact FWP Licensing for details at 406-444-2950.

Share your passion for hunting by becoming a Montana hunter or bowhunter education instructor. It's a great way to give back and be part of the community of volunteer instructors.

Contact your nearest FWP office for more information on how to become an instructor or contact program coordinator Wayde Cooperider at 406-444-9947 or wacooperider@mt.gov

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Licenses and/or Permits for Hunters with a Disability

- Applicants must apply on FWP-provided forms available at FWP offices or FWP website. For more information contact Licensing at 406-444-2950.
- Elk:
  - Elk permits - see pages 110-111.
  - Applicants must have a Permit to Hunt From a Vehicle (PTHFV), valid Conservation License, Base Hunting License, a General Elk License and apply on or before April 1.
- Antelope:
  - Individuals who are permanently physically disabled and nonambulatory as defined in ARM 12.3.106, may apply for an antelope license. A total of 25 antelope licenses are issued through antelope drawing. These licenses are offered in those antelope hunting districts that have a total quota of 50 or more antelope licenses. Applicants must apply on FWP-provided forms available at all FWP offices. Applications must be postmarked on or before June 1.

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LAWS & RULES

- **Statute denoted by MCA.**
- **Commission Rule denoted by CR.**

These regulations contain information to safely and lawfully participate in Montana's game animal hunting opportunities.

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Be Responsible!

Aircraft- Unlawful Use (MCA 87-6-208)

- It is unlawful for a person to shoot a game animal from an aircraft.
- It is unlawful for a person to use an aircraft for the purpose of concentrating, pursuing, driving, rallying, or stirring up any game animal.
- Aircraft may not be used to locate game animals for the purpose of
  - Hunting those animals during the same hunting day after a person has been airborne or
  - Providing information for another person for the purpose of hunting those animals within the same hunting day after being airborne.

Archery Equipment (MCA 87-6-401, CR)

- It is unlawful to use any chemical or explosive device attached to an arrow to aid in the taking of game animals.
- The following criteria define Archery Equipment. It is unlawful to possess, while hunting game during any Archery Only Season and in Archery Equipment Only areas, archery equipment that does not meet the following criteria:

Hunting Bow: A hunting bow for game animals shall be a longbow, flatbow, recurve bow, compound bow, or any combination of these designs.

- The bow must be a device for launching an arrow, which derives its propulsive energy solely from the bending and recovery of two limbs (includes bows with split limbs).
- The bow must be hand-drawn by a single and direct uninterrupted pulling action of the shooter. The bowstring must be moved from brace height to the full draw position by the muscle power of the shooter's body. The energy used to propel the arrow shall not be derived from any other source such as hydraulic, pneumatic, mechanical, or similar devices. These limitations shall not exclude the mechanical leverage advantage provided by eccentric wheels or cams, so long as the available energy stored in the bent limbs of the bow is the sole result of a single, continuous, and direct pulling effort by the shooter.
- The bow must be hand-held. One hand shall hold the bow, and the other hand draw the bowstring. The bowstring must be moved and/or held at all points in the draw cycle entirely by muscle power of the shooter until release. The bowstring must be released as a direct and conscious action of the shooter, either relaxing the tension of the fingers or triggering the release action of a hand-held release aid.

  Exception: Physically disabled bowhunters certified by FWP with the Permit To Modify Archery Equipment (PTMAE) are exempted from the requirement of holding or shooting the bow with their hands.

  > A bow is considered lawful if it is at least 28 inches in total length.

  > The nominal percent of let-off for hunting bows shall be a maximum of 80 percent as advertised by the manufacturer.

Arrow: An arrow is a projectile at least 20 inches in overall length. The length of the arrow is measured from the rearward point of the nock to the tip of the broadhead.

- A broadhead is mounted on the fore end.
- The arrow shall weigh no less than 300 grains with the broadhead attached.
- Arrows must have broadheads with at least two cutting edges and be at least 7/8 inches at the widest point. Expandable broadheads are lawful as long as when expanded they are at least 7/8 inches at the widest point, and weigh no less than 70 grains.

The following are not considered a hunting bow or lawful archery equipment during the Archery Only Season or in an Archery Equipment Only area or hunting district:

- Crossbow.
- Any device with a gun-type stock or incorporating any device or mechanism that holds the bowstring at partial or full draw without the shooter's muscle power.
- Any bow for which a portion of the bow's riser (handle) or any track, trough, channel, or other device that attaches directly to the bow's riser contacts, supports, and/or guides the arrow from a point rearward of the bow's brace height. This is not intended to restrict the use of standard overdraw systems.
- Electronic or battery-powered devices attached to a hunting bow or arrow that aides in the taking or locating of any game animal or game bird. **Exception:** Camera devices attached to bows for the sole purpose of filming is allowed.
- A bow sight or arrow that uses artificial light, luminous chemicals such as tritium, or electronics. **Exception**: an arrow may have a lighted nock.

Artificial Light (MCA 87-6-401)

It is unlawful for anyone to take or attempt to take any game animal or game bird with the aid of projected artificial light. Use of rifle scopes that project an artificial light to illuminate the target or project infra-red light visible only with specialized optics to illuminate the target are unlawful for the taking of game animals.

Baiting (MCA 87-6-401, CR)

- It is unlawful for anyone to hunt or attempt to hunt by the aid of or with the use of any bait, salt lick, trap, snare or set gun.
- Baiting shall mean the placing, exposing, depositing, distributing, or scattering of food sources or salt so as to constitute a lure or attraction.

Check Stations (MCA 87-6-218)

All hunters are required by law to stop as directed at all designated check stations on their way to and from hunting areas, even if they have no game to be checked.

Dogs (MCA 87-6-404)

It is unlawful for a person to use dogs to chase game animals. Dogs may be utilized to recover or locate wounded game animals, but handlers shall maintain physical control of the dog at all times by means of a maximum 50-foot lead attached to the dog's collar or harness.

Evidence of Sex (MCA 87-6-406)

A person who kills a game animal in this state shall retain evidence of sex of the animal with the carcass until it is processed. The provisions of this section do not apply to a game animal harvested using a license with which either sex of the animal may be taken. Evidence of sex does not need to be naturally attached. A person who kills a game animal in a hunting district where the harvest is limited by the animal's antler point or horn size shall retain the antlers or horns until the carcass is processed.

Firearms

- Firearms, including rifles, handguns, shotguns with 0, 00, or slugs, and muzzleloaders; archery equipment; and crossbows are lawful for taking game animals. All other methods of take are prohibited.
- There is no rifle or handgun caliber limitation or magazine/round capacity restrictions for the taking of game animals.

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- Rifle scopes with illuminated reticles, built-in range finding capabilities, and "red dot" scopes are lawful for the taking of game animals.

Glandular Scents (CR)

- Natural or artificial glandular scents may be used by licensed hunters to attract game animals by spraying or pouring the scent on the ground or other objects. **Exception:** Natural or artificial glandular scents may not be used to hunt black bears.
- Hunters may not create a scent station where the scent continues to be dispensed without the hunter's direct action, such as an automatic device, which drips or otherwise continues to dispense scent.
- No scents other than glandular may be used for attracting game animals, but other scents may be used to mask human odor.

Hunter Harassment (MCA 87-6-215)

It is unlawful to:

- Intentionally interfere with the lawful taking of a wild animal.
- Disturb an individual engaged in the lawful taking of a wild animal with intent to prevent the taking of the animal.

Hunter Orange Requirement (MCA 87-6-414)

Firearm Hunters

Any person hunting or accompanying a hunter as an outfitter or guide must wear a minimum of 400 square inches of hunter orange (fluorescent) material above the waist, visible at all times (see the following exception).

Archery Hunters

A licensed bowhunter pursuing deer, elk and/or antelope during the Archery Only Season or in an archery only hunting district is not required to meet the hunter orange requirement, even if there is a concurrent firearm season in that hunting district or portion of district. However, bowhunters hunting during any portion of the general (firearm) season for deer, elk, antelope, moose, bighorn sheep, mountain goat, black bear, and/or mountain lion must always wear a minimum of 400 square inches of hunter orange (fluorescent) above the waist, visible at all times.

Hunting Hours (CR)

Authorized hunting hours for the taking of game animals begin one-half hour before sunrise and end one-half hour after sunset each day of the hunting season. See the official Sunrise-Sunset Tables listed on page 135.

Incidental Harvest Resulting in an Unlawfully Taken Animal

If you or a member of your hunting party shoots an animal that results in an unlawfully taken animal, you should notify an FWP game warden or 1-800-TIP-MONT (1-800-847-6668) immediately and follow their instructions.

> Hunters should field dress the animal but DO NOT transport the animal until you've received instructions.

Indian Reservations

- The F&W Commission has by rule, closed all lands within the exterior boundaries of Montana's Indian Reservations to the hunting of game animals with the use of state licenses unless provided for in a cooperative agreement between the Tribal Government and the State of Montana.
- Currently, there are no cooperative agreements between FWP and any of the Tribal Governments in Montana and as such the season for the hunting of game animals, by nonmembers, with a state license is closed. Please contact FWP for further information.

Inspection by Warden (MCA 87-1-502, 87-6-218)

Game animals, game and nongame birds, fish, and furbearers taken must be shown to FWP Enforcement personnel for inspection when requested.

Interstate Wildlife Violator Compact (IWVC)

Montana is a member of the IWVC. Under the compact, member states recognize suspensions of hunting, fishing or trapping privileges. It is unlawful for a violator whose privilege to hunt, fish or trap is suspended to obtain or attempt to obtain a license, tag or permit in a member state. For more information, call 406-444-2452.

Kill Site Verification (ARM 12.6.1005)

At the request of a Department Game Warden, it is required to return to the kill site of any game animal, game bird, wolf, or furbearer that has been hunted or trapped.

Landowner Permission (MCA 87-6-415)

A resident or nonresident shall obtain permission of the landowner, the lessee, or their agents before taking or attempting to take furbearing animals, game animals, migratory game birds, nongame wildlife, predatory animals, upland game birds, or wolves while hunting on private property.

- Even if the land is not posted, hunters must have permission from the land owner, lessee, or their agent before hunting on private property, regardless of whether the land is posted or not.
- Access to public land through private land requires permission of the private land owner, lessee, or their agent.
- Retrieval of all wildlife through private land requires permission of the private landowner, lessee, or their agent.

License and Permit Possession/Use (MCA 87-6-304)

It is unlawful to:

- Hunt or attempt to hunt for any game animal unless the person is carrying the required license or permit at the time.
- Refuse to produce a license or permit and the identification used in purchasing a license or permit for inspection to a game warden.
- Alter or change a license in any material manner.
- Loan or transfer any license to another person.
- Use a license issued to another person.
- Attach the person's license to a game animal killed by another person.
- Have physical control over a valid and unused hunting license or permit issued to another person while in any location that the species to be hunted may inhabit. This prohibition does not apply to a person who is carrying or has physical control over a license or permit issued to that person's spouse or to any minor when the spouse or minor is hunting with that person.

License Validation/Tagging (MCA 87-6-411)

- A hunter must cut out the proper month and day of the kill from the appropriate license and attach it to the animal before the carcass is removed from the site of the kill, or before the hunter leaves the site of the kill.
- To properly validate a license (sometimes referred to as a tag):
  - The triangles denoting the month and day the animal was killed must be completely cut out and removed.
  - The properly validated license must remain with the meat (including cold storage) until consumed.

Littering (MCA 75-10-212)

A holder of a Montana resident or nonresident hunting license or camping permit convicted of littering campgrounds, public or private lands, streams, or lakes, while hunting, fishing, or camping shall forfeit any current Montana hunting, fishing, or trapping license and the privilege to hunt, fish, camp, or trap in Montana for a period of one year.

Marked or Radio-Collared Animals (CR)

It is lawful to shoot game animals that have radio collars, neck bands, ear tags and/or other markers, but markers and radio collars must be returned to FWP. Please report the killing of a marked animal to the local FWP office.

Motion-Tracking Devices (MCA 87-6-401)

It is unlawful for a person, while hunting, to possess any electronic motion-tracking device or mechanism that is designed to track the motion of a game animal and relay information on the animal's movement to the hunter.

Motion tracking devices are defined by F&W Commission as remote operated camera or video devices capable of transmitting real time information,

pictures or videos; seismic devices; thermal imaging devices; and satellite and radio telemetry devices.

A radio-tracking collar attached to a dog that is used by a hunter engaged in lawful hunting activities is not considered an unlawful motion-tracking device.

Motorized Vehicles (MCA 87-6-405)

It is unlawful for anyone to:

- hunt or attempt to hunt any game animal from any self propelled (motorized) or drawn vehicle. To be lawful, a hunter must have two feet on the ground and his/her body outside of the vehicle. Holders of the Permit To Hunt From A Vehicle are the exception to this.
- use a motorized vehicle or aircraft to concentrate, drive, rally, stir-up, corral, or harass game animals.
- use a motor-driven vehicle on a road or trail on state land if that road or trail is posted as closed by the land management agency. This restriction applies only to state land and not to federal land For more information related to state school trust lands, see page 29.
- use a motor-driven vehicle other than on a road or trail designated for travel by a landowner unless permission has been given by that landowner.

Off Road- Federal lands (CR)

- operate, on federal public lands, a motorized wheeled vehicle off legal routes (including game retrieval). All Federally approved travel plans on public lands in Montana have been adopted by the F&W Commission. Contact the appropriate land management agencies for travel plan information.

Boats (MCA 87-6-207)

- use a powerboat, sailboat, or any boat under sail or any floating device towed by a powerboat, sailboat, or any boat under sail for the purpose of killing, capturing, taking, pursuing, concentrating, driving, or stirring up any game animal.

Off–Highway Vehicles (including ATV, UTV and dirt bikes)

Residents (MCA 23-2-804, 23-2-111) – OHVs must be registered with the county treasurer and display a current off-highway permanent registration decal to be used for off-road recreation on public lands (trails, frozen lakes, reservoirs). To be used on roads (county, Forest Service, etc.), an OHV must be registered with the county treasurer and display a license plate and street-legal modifications. Resident hunters utilizing "summer motorized recreation trails" must also purchase a summer motorized recreation trail pass (decal) at a cost of $20, valid for 2 years and expires on December 31 of the second calendar year. All decals must be affixed in a conspicuous place on the OHV.

Nonresidents (MCA 23-2-814) – OHVs that are owned by a nonresident may not be operated by a person anywhere in Montana unless a nonresident temporary-use permit is obtained. North Dakota residents are exempt. Permits are good for one calendar year, cost $35 and can be purchased from local vendors (stateparks.mt.gov/recreation/ohvProgram.html, OHV Permits and Laws), at FWP offices or online at app.mt.gov/als. Contact Montana State Parks OHV Program at 406-444-3750.

Outfitters and Guides (MCA 37-47-301)

A person may not act as an outfitter or guide or advertise or otherwise represent to the public that the person is an outfitter or guide without first securing a license.

- It is unlawful to engage in outfitting/guiding while not licensed.
- It is unlawful to hire an outfitter or guide not licensed by the Department of Labor and Industry. For information, call 406-841-2300.

Possession of Wildlife Parts (MCA 87-6-202, 87-3-315, 87-3-145, and ARM 12.3.186)

Individuals may possess, transport, sell, or purchase naturally shed antlers, or the antlers with a skull or portion of a skull attached from animals that have died from natural causes and that have not been unlawfully killed. Carcasses and parts of elk, deer, antelope and moose killed in vehicular collisions may be taken and possessed but only with a Vehicle-Killed Wildlife Salvage Permit. No other game animals may be salvaged by this permit. A person may recover and possess the horn or horns and attached skull, or portion thereof, of a mountain sheep that died of natural causes and was not purposefully or accidentally killed, captured, or taken, including due to being struck by a vehicle. Horns and skulls recovered must be reported to the department within 48 hours and presented to the department for inspection and placement of a permanent pin in a horn within 10 days. The fee for the pin is $25. Horns and skulls found in state parks may not be recovered or possessed.

Predatory Animals and Nongame Hunting

Predatory animals and nongame species can be hunted in Montana year-round without a license by both resident and nonresident hunters. A Conservation License, or a State School Trust lands recreational use license is required to hunt predatory animals and nongame species on State School Trust lands. Permission must be obtained to hunt predatory animals and nongame species on private land.

- **Predatory Animals** are classified as coyote, weasel, (striped) skunk, and civet cat (spotted skunk).
- **Nongame species** are defined as any wild animal not otherwise lawfully classified by statute or regulation in Montana. Examples include badger, raccoon, red fox, hares, rabbits, ground squirrels, marmots, tree squirrels, porcupines, and prairie dog.
- **Furbearers** are protected game species that may only be taken by residents with a valid Trapping License during prescribed open seasons. State classified furbearers include beaver, otter, muskrat, mink, marten, fisher, wolverine, bobcat, lynx, and swift fox.

Public Roadways (MCA 87-6-403)

It is unlawful for anyone to hunt or attempt to hunt any game animal: on, from, or across any public highway or the shoulder, berm, barrow pit or right-of-way of any public highway (the entire width between the boundary lines of every publicly maintained way when any part thereof is open to the use of the public for purposes of vehicular travel).

Recorded Animal Sounds (MCA 87-6-401)

It is unlawful to use any recorded or electrically amplified bird or animal calls or sounds or imitations of bird or animal calls or sounds to assist in the hunting, taking, killing or capturing of any wildlife except predatory animals, wolves, and those birds not protected by state or federal law.

Restitution for Unlawfully Taken Wildlife (MCA 87-6-906, CR)

Under Montana law, a person convicted, or who was charged and forfeited bond or bail, of unlawfully killing, taking, or possessing game animals shall reimburse the state. The law sets the amount of restitution for a trophy animal under Montana law as:

Bighorn Sheep	$30,000
Elk	$8,000
Antlered Deer	$8,000
Moose	$6,000
Mountain Goat	$6,000
Antelope	$2,000
Grizzly Bear*	$8,000

*no authorized hunting season

- The law specifically outlines minimum standards for a trophy under this regulation, but authorizes the F&W Commission to adopt more specific criteria.
- For the purpose of assessing restitution for unlawfully taken trophy wildlife under Montana law, the following are considered "trophy" animals:
  - **Antelope:** With at least one horn greater than 14 inches in length, as measured along the outside curve from base to tip.
  - **Elk:** Must meet all three criteria:
    1) at least six points on one antler, 2) a main beam length on each antler of at least 43 inches, and 3) an inside spread of at least 36 inches.

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OR

Any elk with at least one six-point antler and having a gross/green Boone & Crockett score of 320 points or greater.

– **Mule Deer:** Must meet all three criteria:

1) at least four points on one antler (excluding brow tine), 2) a main beam length on each side of at least 21 inches, and 3) a greatest inside spread across the main beams of at least 20 inches.

OR

Any mule deer with at least one four-point antler and having a gross/green Boone & Crockett score of 160 points or greater.

– **White-tailed Deer:** Must meet all three criteria:

1) at least four points on one antler (excluding brow tine), 2) a main beam length on each side of at least 20 inches, and 3) a greatest inside spread across the main beams of at least 16 inches.

OR

Any white-tailed deer with at least one four-point antler and having a gross/green Boone & Crockett score of 140 points or greater.

- A "point" as defined in these regulations is at least four inches long for elk and at least one inch long for deer, measured from base to tip. Boone & Crockett (B&C) measuring procedures or standards are used for criteria measurement. The official measurements for the purpose of this regulation are those that are taken at the time of confiscation or seizure of the trophy. Any B&C measurements will be considered final when taken by an official B&C scorer, regardless of drying time. If the skullcap of antlers or horns is broken in such a manner to render an official B&C score invalid, three official B&C scorers will estimate a score. The three scores will be averaged and the average score used to determine trophy status in accordance with Montana law.

Sale of Game Animals (MCA 87-6-206)

A person may not purposely or knowingly sell, purchase, or exchange all or part of any game fish, bird, game animals, or fur-bearing animals, except that a person may sell, purchase, or exchange:

- Hides, heads, or mounts of game fish, birds, game animals, or fur-bearing animals that have been lawfully killed, captured, or taken, except that the sale or purchase of a hide, head, or mount of a grizzly bear is prohibited, except as provided by federal law.
- Naturally shed antlers or the antlers with a skull or portion of a skull attached from a game animal that has died from natural causes and that has not been unlawfully killed, captured, or taken or accidentally killed; for additional exceptions, see 87-6-206 MCA. Sale of meat is not allowed.

Simulated Wildlife (MCA 87-6-217)

It is unlawful to discharge a firearm or other hunting implement at a simulated wildlife decoy in violation of any state statute, ARM, or F&W Commission rule regulating the hunting of the wildlife being simulated.

Transport of Wildlife

- An individual other than the license holder may transport lawfully taken, properly tagged game animals that comply with the "Evidence of Sex Requirements."
- It is unlawful to ship, possess, transport, or take out of state unlawfully killed game animals.
- It is a violation of the Federal Lacey Act to transport an unlawfully taken game animal across state boundaries.
- If you are transporting lawfully taken wildlife (including parts and/or products of live or dead animals) between the United States and any foreign country, you must complete a U.S. Fish and Wildlife Service declaration form. For further information, contact the USFWS wildlife inspector at 406-335-4350 or **www.fws.gov.**
- Questions concerning carcass transport may be directed to FWP Enforcement at 406-444-2452 or to your home state's wildlife division.

Traps (MCA 87-6-601)

It is unlawful to destroy, disturb, or remove any trap or snare belonging to another person or remove wildlife from a trap or snare belonging to another person.

Two-way Communication (ARM 12.6.1010)

The use of two-way electronic communication is prohibited:

- While in the act of hunting game animals or wolves to aid in the taking or locating of live animals.
- While in the act of hunting mountain lion or bobcats with dogs, beginning when the dogs are placed or physically released on tracks or a scent trail.
- To avoid game check stations or FWP enforcement personnel.
- To facilitate unlawful hunting activity.

The use of two-way electronic communication for the use of safety or other legitimate purposes is exempt.

Two-way electronic communication includes, but is not limited to, the following; radios (walkie-talkies/CB), cell phones, text messages, and the use of social media or other electronic platforms, applications, or programs.

Unmanned Aerial Vehicles UAV (CR)

It is unlawful for a person to use an UAV/drone for the purposes of concentrating, pursuing, driving, rallying, or stirring up any game animal. A UAV/drone may not be used to locate game animals for the purposes of: hunting those animals during the same hunting day after a UAV/drone has been airborne, or providing information for another person for the purposes of; hunting those animals within the same hunting day after the UAV/drone has been airborne. UAVs/drones are not allowed to film a hunt.

Waste of Game (MCA 87-6-205)

- Hunters, or persons in possession of a game animal or game animal parts, are prohibited from wasting or rendering unfit for human consumption, any part of a game animal that is defined as "suitable for food."
- For game animals (excluding mountain lions), all of the four quarters above the hock, including loin and backstrap, are considered suitable for food.

Weapons Restriction Areas (CR)

Weapons restrictions are in effect in some hunting districts. Such restrictions are stated in the license/permit description and/or with a specific date range.

<u>The following equipment restrictions apply to Weapons Restriction Areas:</u>

Archery

See lawful archery equipment in the "Law & Rules" section.

Crossbows

Lawful in weapons restriction areas unless exception noted in specific hunting district regulations.

Traditional Handguns

- Are not capable of being shoulder mounted;
- Have a barrel length of less than 10 ½ inches;
- Chamber only a straight wall cartridge, not originally developed for rifles.

Muzzleloader

- Must not be capable of being loaded from the breech of the barrel;
- May not be loaded with any pre-prepared paper or metallic cartridges;
- must be charged with black powder, pyrodex, or an equivalent;
- Must be ignited by a percussion, flintlock, matchlock, or wheelock mechanism;
- Must be a minimum of .45 caliber;
- May have no more than two barrels;
- Must only use plain lead projectiles;
- Sabots or other similar power and range-enhancing manufactured loads that enclose the projectile from the rifling or bore of the firearm are prohibited. "Skirts" or gas checks on the base of a projectile are acceptable.

Shotgun

Must be shouldered, breech-loaded, or muzzle-loaded firearm with a smooth bore and/or rifled barrel and/or rifled choke device designed to fire shot or slugs.

Restricted Area Descriptions

Restricted area descriptions include both Closed Areas and Weapons Restricted Areas. It is your responsibility to know that you are in a lawful hunting area.

BNSF right-of-way from Marias Pass to the Java Creek Bridge: Closed to hunting.

Beattie Gulch: Subject to closure of all hunting with 24 hours notice: US Forest Service lands located in the following sections north of Yellowstone National Park in Beattie Gulch, Sec. 7 & 8, T9S, R8E and Sections 12 & 13, T9S, R7E.

Bitterroot-Clark Fork Archery District Portion of HD 260: Refer to legal description of deer/elk hunting district 260.

Bowdoin NWR closed hunting of big game: Portions of T31N R31E, T31N R32E, T30N R31E, T30N R32E as posted by refuge regulations. Contact refuge at 654-2863.

Brinkman Game Preserve: Closed to big game hunting except as noted below: The S1/2 Section 7, and E1/2, NE1/4 Section 7, and S1/2 Section 8, and NW 1/4 Section 8, S1/2 Section 9, S1/2 and E1/2, NE 1/4 Section 10. All of sections 11, 14, 15, 16, 17, 18, 19, 20, 21, 22, 23, 25, 26, 27, 28, 29, 35, 36; all in T29N, R7E, M.P.M. Liberty County.

CMR National Wildlife Refuge, Slippery Ann elk viewing area: Closed to all hunting per refuge regulation 406-538-8706: Portions of Section 36, T22N, R24E and Sections 31 and 32, T22N, R25E.

Charles M. Russell (CMR) National Wildlife Refuge and U.S. Army Corps of Engineers: CMR National Wildlife Refuge and U.S. Army Corps of Engineers (ACOE) regulations may differ from these regulations, to include closed or weapons restricted areas. Hunters should contact the CMR at 406-538-8706 or the ACOE at 406-526-3411.

Cree Crossing WMA: Hunting by archery, shotgun, traditional handgun or muzzleloader only. Portions of sections 11 and 12 T32N R32E as posted.

Deckard Flats to Trail Creek: Elk Hunting Closure: Subject to closure of elk hunting with 24 hours notice. Those portions of Park County lying within the following-described boundary: Beginning at the confluence of the Yellowstone River and Little Trail Creek northwest of Gardiner, then northeasterly along Little Trail Creek up to its headwaters, then easterly to the USFS Absaroka-Beartooth Wilderness Boundary, then easterly along said boundary to the North Fork of Bear Creek, then southeasterly along said creek to its confluence with Bear Creek, then northerly along said creek to the confluence of Pine Creek, then easterly along said Creek to the intersection with the USFS Absaroka-Beartooth Wilderness Boundary, then southerly along said boundary to the boundary with Yellowstone National Park, then westerly along said boundary to the confluence of the Yellowstone River and Reese Creek west of the town of Gardiner, then westerly along the Yellowstone River to its confluence with Little Trail Creek, the point of beginning.

East Ovando Archery Area: Restricted to ArchEquip Only for all big game hunting: Those portions of Powell County lying within the following described boundary: Beginning at the junction of State Route 200 with the North Fork of the Blackfoot River, then southwest along said river to the Ovando-Helmville Road, then northwesterly along said road to Ovando and State Route 200, then easterly along said route to the North Fork of the Blackfoot River, the point of beginning.

Ennis Airport Weapons Restriction Area: Ennis Airport WRA Boundary Description: Beginning at intersection of Airport Rd and Hwy 287, east on Airport Rd, then continuing east along south boundary of section 32 to the USFS boundary, then north to north boundary of section 29, then west on north boundaries of sections 29 and 30, then south on west boundary of section 30, then west on north boundary of section 36 to Hwy 287, then south along Hwy 287 to point of beginning.

Flathead Weapons Restriction Area and Blasdel WPAs: Restricted to ArchEquip, shotgun, traditional handgun, muzzleloader or crossbow only: That portion of Flathead County lying within the following-described boundary: Beginning at the junction of State Route 35 and State Route 206, then northerly along State Route 206 to US Highway 2, then westerly along said highway onto State Route 40 to US Highway 93, then south on said Highway to Rocky Cliff Drive, then easterly to Demersville Road, then northerly along said road to Foys Bend Lane, then easterly along said road onto Lower Valley Road to the Bonneville Power Administration powerline at Foys Bend, then northerly along said powerline across the Flathead River to the easterly shore, then up the most easterly shore of said river to State Route 35 (Old Highway 2 bridge), then easterly along said route to its junction with State Route 206, the point of the beginning.

Freezout Lake WMA, Teton County: Closed to hunting as posted.

Gallatin Special Management Area: Closed to all deer and elk hunting except elk hunting by special permit only: The Gallatin Special Management Area is a combination of the old Bacon Rind/Lodgepole and Buffalo Horn/Lodgepole Units. Those portions of Madison and Gallatin Counties lying within the following boundary description: Beginning at the intersection of US Highway 191 and the north boundary of Yellowstone National Park, then in a northerly direction along said boundary to USFS Trail 57 at Dailey Pass, then in a northwesterly direction along said trail to the headwaters of the South Fork of Buffalo Horn, then down said creek to a posted line that goes along the south side of Cow Flats to its intersection with Buffalo Horn Creek, then down said creek to the Gallatin River, then up said river to Snow Flake Springs and the toe of Snowflake Ridge, then southerly along said ridge and the Sage Creek-Monument Creek Divide, then along Sage Creek-Snowslide Creek Divide and the Sage Creek-Bacon Rind Divide to the Gallatin Madison Rivers Divide at Redstreak Peak, then southeasterly along said divide to the Yellowstone National Park boundary, then northerly along said boundary to the point of beginning.

Gallatin Valley Weapons Restriction Area: Beginning at the intersection of Cottonwood Road and Enders Road, continuing southeast from that intersection along Cottonwood Road, north to South 19th, then east on South 19th to Nash Road, then east on Nash Road to Sourdough Canyon Road, then south on Sourdough Canyon Road, to the national forest boundary, then east along said boundary to boundary of State Lands Sections 4, 3, 34, 35 and 1 to Bear Canyon Road, then northerly on Bear Canyon Road to the Bear Canyon Interchange with Interstate 90, then northerly to Rocky Creek, northwesterly along Rocky Creek to L Street, then north on L Street to Story Mill Road, then north on Story Mill Road to Deer Creek Drive, northeast on Deer Creek Drive to Lookfar Way, north on Lookfar Way to Rolling Hills Drive, north on Rolling Hills Drive to Sypes Canyon Road, northwesterly on Sypes Canyon Road to Summer Cuttoff Road, then Saddle Mountain Road, then east on Saddle Mountain Road to Bostwick Road, then north along Bostwick Road to Baseline East Road, then west on Baseline East Road to Walker Road, then north on Walker Road to Penwell Bridge Road, then west on Penwell Bridge Road to Wes Davis Road, then north and west on Wes Davis Road to Hamilton Road, then west and north on Hamilton Road to Cactus Road, then west on Cactus Road to Highway 290, then south on Highway 290 to Weaver Road, then west on Weaver Road to Highway 10, then northwesterly on Highway 10 to Heeb Road, then south on Heeb Road to Amsterdam Road, east on Amsterdan Road, to Linney Road, south on Linney Road to Cameron Bridge Road, then east on Cameron Bridge Road to River Road, then south on River Road to Highway 84, then east on Highway 84 to Shedds Bridge, then south up western most channel of the Gallatin River to Gallatin Gateway Bridge, then east on Gallatin Gateway Road to US Highway 191, then south on US Highway 191 to Cottonwood Road, to point of beginning.

NOTE: Sourdough Exclusion Zone from SWRA within HD 309: Beginning at the intersection of Nash and Sourdough Canyon Road, then south on Sourdough Canyon Road to the USFS boundary, then east, north and east along said boundary in Section 8, then along said boundary in Section 8 to the intersection with State Lands in

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Section 9, then north along the section line of Sections 4 and 5, then west along section line of Sections 5 and 32 to the intersection with Sourdough Road, then south on Sourdough Road, then west on Nash Road, the point of beginning.

Gardiner: Closed to all hunting. Beginning at the Junction of U.S. Hwy 89 and Little Trail Creek, then up Little Trail Creek to the posted line (approx. 1/2 mile above U.S. Hwy 89), then southeasterly along said line to the Travertine-Trail Creek Road, then easterly along said road to its intersection with the Gardiner-Jardine Road, then northeasterly along said road to Eagle Creek, then southerly down said creek to the YNP boundary, then westerly along said boundary to the intersection with Stevens Creek, then northeasterly in a straight line to the intersection with U.S. Hwy 89, then northwesterly along said highway to the junction of Little Trail Creek, the point of beginning.

Gates of the Mountains Game Preserve: Closed to all hunting. Beginning in Section 2, T12N, R3W at the southeast corner of Upper Holter Lake, then proceeding westerly along the northern shoreline of Upper Holter Lake in the Gates of the Mountains area located in Lewis and Clark County, then northerly along Stoney Point Beacon Road, then northerly along the powerline to said beacon, then along Bulldozer Road to the point of the ridge in Section 23, T13 N, R3W, then northerly to the Missouri River, then easterly across said river and lake to the USFS boundary to the wilderness boundary, then south along wilderness boundary to the southeast corner of Section 1, T12N, R3W, then west back to Upper Holter Lake, the point of beginning. Intending hereby to include in said game preserve all the territory adjacent of the Gates of the Mountains area, shall be called and known as the Gates of the Mountains Game Preserve.

Grant Kohrs Ranch near Deer Lodge: Closed to all hunting.

Helena Valley Regulating Reservoir: The Bureau of Reclamation Regulating Reservoir located in Sections 4, 5, 8, 9, 16 and 17, T10N, R2W in Lewis and Clark County of the Helena Valley as posted. This area will be open to hunting until the opening of the waterfowl season, then it will be closed to all hunting.

Helena Valley Weapons Restriction Area: That portion of HD 388 west of the following boundary: From the intersection of US Highway 12-287 and Lake Helena Drive, then north on said drive to the south shore of the Causeway Arm, then north and east on said shore to Hauser Lake.

Jeffers Weapons Restriction Area: Beginning at the intersection of Highway 287 and the south access to Jeffers Loop Road at milepost 47.1, then north along the access road until the junction with Jeffers Loop Road, then easterly along Jeffers Loop Road until its intersection with Jeffers Loop Road South, then northerly along Jeffers Loop Road until its intersection with Jeffers Road, then west along Jeffers Road to its intersection with the entrance to Valley Garden Fishing Access Site, then westerly along the south boundary of the Valley Garden Fishing Access Site to its junction with the west bank of the Madison River, then southwesterly along the west bank of the Madison River to its intersection with Highway 287, then southeast along Highway 287 until the point of the beginning.

Kuhns WMA: Map available from FWP Region 1, Kalispell office 406-752-5501.

Lake Helena WMA: Closed to all big game hunting except as designated under hunting regulations. Portions of the north half of Section 22 Township 11 North, Range 3 West.

Lee Metcalf Refuge: Legal description, map and regulations available from the Lee Metcalf Refuge, 406-777-5552.

Libby Big Game Archery Only Hunting Area: That Portion of Lincoln County lying within the following-described boundary: Beginning at the junction of U.S. Highway 2 and Port Blvd. (the old Stimpson mill site entrance) on the south edge of Libby, then heading east on Port Blvd. to the Champion Haul Road, across Libby Creek on said road to National Forest Road #4813, then southerly on Road #4813 to National Forest Road #533, the Swede Mountain Road, then southerly along said road to the Farm-To-Market Road, then northerly along the Farm-to-Market Road to U.S. Highway 2, then northerly along U.S. Highway 2 to Port Blvd., the point of beginning.

Lincoln Closed Area: Closed to all big game hunting. Section 24, T14N, R9W, shall be closed to big game hunting. This comprises the area around the town of Lincoln.

Medicine Lake National Wildlife Refuge: Portions open to big game hunting per refuge regulations. Contact refuge at 406-789-2305.

Milk River WMA Weapons Restriction Area: Hunting by archery, shotgun, traditional handgun or muzzleloader only as posted and as described under current regulations. Portions of sections 17,18,20 T32N R33E as posted.

Missouri River between the mouth of Sand Coulee Crk downstream to Great Falls city limits (this includes Park and Taylor Islands and all other unnamed islands): Restricted to ArchEquip only: Portion of HD 413 along the Missouri River between the mouth of Sand Coulee Creek downstream to Great Falls city limits (includes Park, Taylor and all other unnamed islands).

Muskrat Valley Weapons Restriction Area: Restricted to archery, shotgun, traditional handgun or muzzleloader only. That portion of Jefferson County lying within the following-described boundary: Beginning at Boulder, then east along Muskrat Lane to the intersection of Upper Valley Road, then north along said road to the intersection of Sloan Lane, then west along said lane to the Interstate 15 frontage road, then west to Interstate 15, then south along said interstate to Boulder, the point of beginning.

Poindexter Slough FAS south of Dillon: Restricted to ArchEquip, shotgun, traditional handgun, muzzleloader or crossbow only: Sections 26, 27, 34, and 35, T7S, R9W.

Portion of the State Prison Ranch property west of Deer Lodge: Shall be closed as posted.

Prison Ranch Archery Only Area: Legal description and map available from FWP-R2 406-542-5500, in Missoula. The following MCE Ranch lands are open to hunting of big game only with Lawful Archery Equipment as outlined in the hunting regulations provided by Montana FWP: Beginning at the junction of the Old Stage Road (county road) and Elk Ridge Road (Forest Service Road 5149) in Section 22, T8N, R10W and proceeding west along the Elk Ridge Road to the power line road (prison fence line) in the southeast 1/4 of Section 22, T8N, R10W, then south along the power line road (prison fence line) to the southwest corner of the prison fence in Section 28, T7N, R10 W, then east along the south boundary Section 28, T7N, R10W (prison fence line) to the southwest corner of Section 27, T7N, R10W, then south to the southwest corner of Section 34, T7N, R10W, then east to the southeast corner of Section 34, T7N R10W, then south to the southwest corner of Section 2, T6N, R10W, then east along the prison fence line to the Dempsey Lake Road (county road), then northeasterly along Dempsey Lake Road (prison fence line) to the southeast corner of Section 36 T7N R10W, then north along the prison fence line on east edge of Section 36 and 25, T7N, R10W to corner of the prison fence line in Section 25, T7N, R10W, then east along prison fence line in N2 Section 30, T7N, R9W to the corner of the prison fence line at Lake Hill Road (county road); then north approx. 1/2 mile along the east side of Sections 30 and 19, T7N, R9W to the corner of prison fence line on the eastern edge of Section 19, T7N, R9W, then follow the prison fence west and northerly in Sections 19 and 18 T7N R9W to the northeast corner of Section 18, T7N, R9W, then follow the prison fence east approx. 1/2 mile along the southern boundary of Section 8, T7N, R9W, then follow the prison fence north approx. 1/2 mile to the junction of the airport fence, then proceeding northwesterly, follow the fence bordering the airport, golf course and National Guard Armory through sections 8, 5 and 6, T7N, R9W to the Old Stage Road (county road), then follow the Old Stage Road northwest through Sections 36, 26, and 22, T8N, R10W to the junction of the Elk Ridge Road (USFS Road 5149), the point of beginning.

Rookery WMA Weapons Restriction Area: Hunting by archery, shotgun, traditional handgun or muzzleloader only.

Seeley Lake Game Preserve: Closed to all hunting: That portion of Missoula County lying within the following-described boundary: Beginning at a point where US Forest Service land and private land meet next to Boy Scout Road in Section 20, T17N, R15W, then east on the boundary between US Forest Service and private land, then north on same boundary to the section line between Sections 17 and 20, then east on said section line and east on north line of Section 21, T17N, R15W to State Route 83, then south on State Route 83 to Riverview Drive in Section 3, T16N, R15W, then west on Riverview Drive to Snowmass Drive in Section 9, T16N, R15W, then north on Snowmass Drive to section line between Sections 4 and 5, T16N, R15W, then north on said section line to Clearwater River, then north along west shore of Clearwater River to Boy Scout Road in Section 33, T17N, R15W, then west and north on said road to where USFS land and private land meet next to Boy Scout Road in Section 20, T17N, R15W, the point of beginning.

Smith River WMA: Area map and rules available at FWP-R4 HQ 406-454-5840.

Smith Valley Weapons Restriction Area between Smith Lake Road and US Hwy 2: Restricted to ArchEquip, shotgun, traditional handgun, muzzleloader or crossbow only :Those portions of Flathead County lying within the following described boundary: From intersection of US Highway 2 West and Kila Road, west on Kila Road to intersection with Smith Lake Road to intersection with Whalebone Drive, then west on Whalebone Drive to the intersection with US Highway 2 West and finally west on US Highway 2 back to the point of beginning at the intersection of US Highway 2 West and Kila Road.

Sourdough Exclusion Zone from within HD 309: Beginning at the intersection of Nash and Sourdough Canyon Road, then south on Sourdough Canyon Road to the USFS boundary, then east, north and east along said boundary in Section 8, then along said boundary in Section 8 to the intersection with State Lands in Section 9, then north along the section line of Sections 4 and 5, then west along section line of Sections 5 and 32 to the intersection with Sourdough Road, then south on Sourdough Road, then west on Nash Road, the point of beginning.

Sun River Game Preserve: Closed to all hunting. Beginning at a point on the crest of the Continental Divide of the Rocky Mountains, due south of the head or source of the South Fork of the Sun River, in what will be, when surveyed, Section 8, T18N of R10W, Montana meridian, then due north from the crest of the Continental Divide to the head of the south fork of the Sun River, then northerly along the east bank of the South Fork of the Sun River (the eastern boundary of the Sun River Game Preserve) to its confluence with the North Fork of the Sun River, then northerly along the east bank of the North Fork of the Sun River (the eastern boundary of the Sun River Game Preserve) to its head or source, then due north to the crest of the Continental Divide of the Rocky Mountains, then along said crest southwesterly and southerly (the western boundary of the Sun River Game Preserve) to the place of beginning. Intending hereby to include in said game preserve all that territory lying between the South Fork of the Sun River and the North Fork of the Sun River on the east and the Continental Divide of the Rocky Mountains on the west.

Teton-Spring Creek Cooperative Hunting Area (TSCA): Teton County, variety of weapons choices offered, depending upon proximity to residences. Area Map/Rules available FWP-R4 406-454-5840 Great Falls. All in T24N, R5W legally described as: Sections 2, 3, 4, 9, 10, 11, 14, 15, and W1/2 of Section 13.

Townsend Weapons Restriction Area: Beginning at the intersection of US Highway 12 and Route 284 then northerly along said route to its intersection with Riley Road, then west along said road to the Canyon Ferry Wildlife Management Area boundary fence as signed, then northerly and westerly along said boundary fence to the end of said boundary fence in Section 28, T8N, R2E, near Canyon Ferry Reservoir, then westerly across said reservoir to Hahn Road, then westerly along said road to US Highway 287, then south along said highway to its intersection with the Kimber Gulch Road, then westerly along said road to its intersection with the railroad tracks, then southerly along said railroad tracks to their intersection with Springville Lane, then westerly and southerly along said lane to its intersection with the Indian Creek Road, then southerly along the west boundary of Sections 25 and 36 in T7N, R1E to the SW corner of Section 36, then easterly along the southern boundary of Section 36 and easterly along the southern boundary of Section 31 in T7N, R2E to its intersection with US Highway 287, then southeasterly along said highway to its intersection with Lower Deep Creek Road, then easterly along said road to its intersection with Jack Farm Road, then northwesterly along said road to its intersection with Cemetery Road, then east and north along said road to its intersection with US Highway 12, then east along said highway to its intersection with Route 284, the point of beginning.

UL Bend National Wildlife Refuge: UL Bend National Wildlife Refuges and U.S. Army Corps of Engineers (ACOE) regulations may differ from these regulations, to include closed or weapons restricted areas. Hunters should contact the CMR at 406-538-8706 or the ACOE at 406-526-3411.

Wall Creek WMA and adjacent land as posted: Beginning at the junction of Ruby Creek and the Madison River, then southerly along east bank of said river to its intersection with Wall Creek, then westerly along Wall Creek to a posted boundary in the southwest 1/4 of Section 23, T10S, R1W, then northerly for approximately 4.5 miles along posted boundary on USFS lands (through Sections 23,14,11, 2, T10S, R1W and Sections 34 and 35 T9S, R1W) to Hyde Creek, then along Hyde Creek to the Wall Creek Wildlife Management Area boundary, then northerly and westerly along the Wildlife Management Area boundary to Ruby Creek, then easterly along Ruby Creek to the Madison River, the point of beginning.

Warm Springs WMA: Portion of hunting district within the Warm Springs WMA restricted to ArchEquip, shotgun, traditional handgun, muzzleloader or crossbow only.

Yellowstone River Islands: Yellowstone River islands between the East Park Street Bridge at Livingston and one mile downstream of US Highway 89 Bridge restricted to ArchEquip Only.

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Hunter Land Access

Hunters, it is your responsibility to know where you are, to know who owns the land, and to know what access restrictions apply.

Block Management

The Block Management Program is a public hunting access program in which FWP enters into contractual agreements with private landowners (and sometimes public land management agencies) about how free public hunting access will be permitted and managed on enrolled lands. Through the contractual agreement, a private landowner agrees to allow public hunting on enrolled lands under specified conditions, and FWP agrees to assist the landowner by enforcing the ranch rules adopted through the Block Management contract. FWP annually publishes a Hunting Access Guide by August 15 that lists the Block Management Areas (BMAs) enrolled for that year and explains how to gain access to them. For general information about the program, contact FWP at 406-444-2612.

Fishing Access Sites

Many of Montana's Fishing Access Sites (FAS) offer hunting opportunities, however certain restrictions may apply such as no-hunting safety zones and/or restrictions on the type of hunting weapon or firearm that may be used. Refer to the Fishing Access Site website at **myfwp.mt.gov/fishMT/** for site specific information, opportunities and restrictions.

Indian Reservation Trust Lands

Some reservations may offer game animal hunting opportunities with the use of tribal licenses to non-members. Please contact the appropriate Tribal Government. See "Contacts Outside FWP" on page 129 for contact information.

Montana State Parks

Some of Montana's State Parks provide hunting opportunities; however certain restrictions may apply such as no-hunting safety zones and/or restrictions on the type of hunting weapon or firearm that may be used. Contact the specific park and/or refer to the Montana State Park website at **stateparks.mt.gov** for site specific information regarding hunting opportunities and restrictions.

Private Land Access

Montana law requires permission for all hunting on private land. See above for information on FWP's Block Management Program.

Public Land Access

- Public lands closed to hunting include:
  - National Parks and other areas administered by the National Park Service.
  - National Wildlife Refuge lands except those areas designated open to public hunting. More restrictive regulations may apply to national wildlife refuges open to public hunting. Please inquire at the local refuge office.
- For hunting opportunities on federal lands such as U.S. Forest Service or U.S. Bureau of Land Management, inquire at the local federal office.
- It is unlawful to post, place signs or mark state or federal land other than that done by a state or federal land agency.

Railroad Access

Railroads and railroad right-of-ways are private property and may not be hunted without permission, nor should they be used as access to other lands (private or public) without explicit permission from the railroad.

State Game Preserves

State Game Preserves may or may not be open to hunting. See Restricted Area Descriptions, pages 26-28.

State School Trust Lands

- A Conservation License provides hunters, anglers and trappers access to lawfully accessible State School Trust lands.
- Overnight (2 night) camping is allowed within 200 feet of a lawful access point.
- Motorized travel is only allowed on public roads or on roads designated as open.
- Firearms may not be discharged within one-quarter mile of inhabited dwellings or outbuildings on state trust lands without permission of the inhabitant.
- Game retrieval is by foot or horse only.
- No open fires are allowed except in designated campground fire pits.
- Additional information is available from FWP or contact DNRC at (406) 444-2074.

Other State Lands

Obtain permission from the appropriate land management agency.

State Wildlife Management Areas (WMA)

FWP's Wildlife Management Areas are generally open to hunting during the game animals hunting season. WMAs with game animal winter range are closed to public entry, unless otherwise posted, from the day following the end of the general deer-elk season or December 1, whichever is later, to noon on May 15 each year, as posted.

Exception: There are several exceptions to these guidelines. For WMA specific information, please call the Regional office on page 129 for contact numbers or visit the FWP website at: **fwp.mt.gov/fishAndWildlife/wma/**

Stream Access Law

The Stream Access Law does not allow for the hunting of game animals between the ordinary high water marks of streams and rivers without landowner permission.

Other Information

Donate Hunting License to Disabled Military Service Member or Veteran (MCA 87-2-815)

Residents and nonresidents can donate their Montana hunting license to a disabled military veteran or disabled active duty service member who is working with an organization that uses hunting as part of the rehabilitation process. The disabled person who receives the license will be a Purple Heart recipient and have a 70 percent or greater disability rating. Visit the website for more information: **fwp.mt.gov/hunting/licenses/buyApply/donateLicense.html**

Feral Swine cause extensive damage to domestic and native habitats, wildlife, and livestock throughout much of the United States. To prevent the introduction of feral swine into Montana, the 2015 Legislature has prohibited the transportation, possession, hunting, trapping, or killing of feral swine. If you see or know of any feral swine in Montana, please contact the Montana Department of Livestock at 406-444-2976.

Game Damage Hunt Roster Rules

- The game damage hunt roster is a randomized list of hunters' names. If FWP identifies a need to implement a game damage hunt, the game damage hunt roster will be used to select hunters. Selected hunters will be contacted by FWP.
- Sign up for the game damage hunt roster is from June 15–July 15, 2020, and only on the FWP website through MyFWP.

Harvest Survey

Montana FWP conducts an annual telephone survey to gather hunting and harvest information from Montana hunters. Telephone interviewers call mid-week evenings and weekends to speak to hunters one-on-one to get the most accurate information possible. Wildlife managers use the results to evaluate hunting seasons and set quotas, season dates and other regulations.

Hunters Against Hunger

When you purchase a Montana hunting license, you'll have an opportunity to make a donation of $1 or more to Hunters Against Hunger. Contributions help pay for butchering and distribution of processed game donated to food banks.

Weed Control and Weed Seed Free Hay

Montana requires use of certified weed seed free hay, grain, straw, mulch, cubes, and pelletized feed on state and federal lands. For further information, contact the Department of Agriculture at 406-444-3144.

12-hour Closure

- In Administrative Region 4, elk HD 424 and HD 442 may be subject to a 12-hour closure for the antlerless portion of the general brow-tined bull or antlerless elk season,
- If the elk quota is reached, the general season will revert to only the brow-tined bull regulation until the end of the general season.
- Contact Region 4 Headquarters or the Augusta Check Station for updates (406-562-3467).

Be Bear Aware!

Black bear hunters must be able to tell the difference between a grizzly and a black bear because grizzly bears cannot be lawfully hunted in Montana.

Three simple rules will help you make the right decision:

1. Learn how to identify bears.
2. Be absolutely sure of your target.
3. If in doubt, don't shoot.

Look for a combination of characteristics.

Their color and body size can be misleading!

Tall pointed ears

No shoulder hump

Straight face profile

Short claws

BLACK BEAR

Short, rounded, ears

Shoulder hump

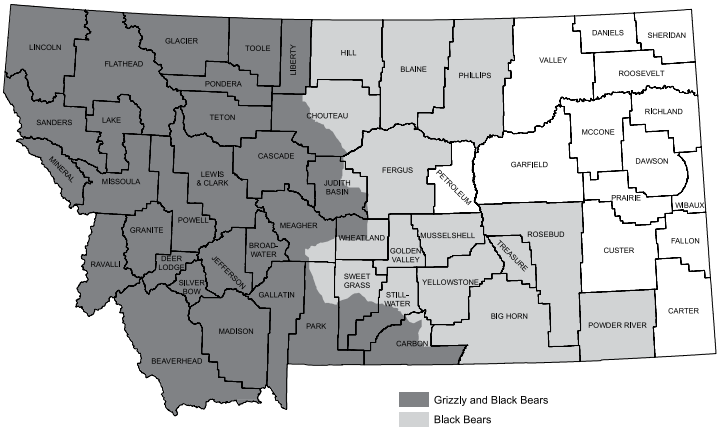
Dished face profile

Long claws

GRIZZLY BEAR

Mandatory bear identification testing is required to purchase a black bear license. Check FWP's website: **fwp.mt.gov**

General Distribution of Bears in Montana



Carry Bear Spray and Know How To Use It!

- Hunting puts you at risk of encountering a bear. Calling game and using scents may attract bears.
- If you hunt alone, let someone know about your plans. If you feel uneasy hunting alone, hunt with a partner.
- Pay attention to fresh bear sign. Communicate with others and let them know when bears have been seen and/or fresh sign observed.
- Some bears may move in the direction of a gunshot because they learned to associate the sound with a gut pile or carcass.
- The golden rule is "get the game animal out of the area as quickly as possible." The longer a carcass remains lying on the ground, hung up in camp, or stored in the back of a truck, the more likely it will be discovered by a bear.
- Carcasses left for a period of time require special care. Carry a colored, lightweight tarp or space blanket. Put the guts on the tarp and drag them a few hundred feet away from the carcass.
- Locate an observation point 200 yards (if possible) away from the carcass with a clear line of sight.
  - When returning, approach the observation point carefully. Yell or whistle repeatedly. With binoculars study the scene from the observation point and scan the area for the carcass and any movement. If a bear is at the site and refuses to leave or the meat has been covered up with debris by a bear, report the incident to FWP.
  - Do not attempt to frighten away or haze a bear, especially a grizzly.
- Bears are opportunists and change their behavior to take advantage of new food sources. Always assume that grizzlies are in the area and make sure your camps, cabins, and homes are bear proof, and that bear attractants are unavailable or contained.
- Mentally rehearse a worst-case scenario with encountering a bear. "If the mind has never been there before, the body does not know how to respond." The following is a list of recommended responses to minimize the likelihood of attack or chances of human injury:
  - Make certain you have bear spray at the ready and know how to use it. In sudden grizzly encounters, bear spray has proven effective. Bears sprayed in the face at close range often stop attacking.
  - Always maintain a safe distance from bears.
  - Stay calm.
  - Immediately pick up small children and stay in a group.
  - Behave in a non-threatening manner.
  - Speak softly.
  - Throw an object (like a hat or gloves) on the ground as you move away to distract the animal's attention.
  - Slowly back away, if possible. Keep a distance of at least 100 yards.
  - Do not run from a bear. Running may trigger a natural predator-prey attack response, and a bear can easily outrun the world's fastest human.
  - Don't climb a tree unless you are sure you can get at least 10' from the ground before the bear reaches you. Many experts recommend against climbing trees in most situations.
- Report encounters with grizzly bears to FWP at 1-800-TIP-MONT, U.S. Forest Service, or one of the nearest FWP bear management specialists listed below:
  - Kevin Frey, Bozeman, MT 406-577-7876
  - Mike Madel, Choteau, MT 406-466-5100
  - Wesley Sarmento, Conrad, MT 406-450-1097
  - Tim Manley, Kalispell, MT 406-250-1265
  - Kim Annis, Libby, MT 406-293-4161 x207
  - James Jonkel, Missoula, MT 406-542-5508
  - In an actual emergency, phone 9-1-1. Seeing a grizzly is not necessarily a reportable encounter or an emergency. Report encounters where the bear displayed aggressive or defensive behavior toward people, livestock or pets.

For more information visit:
fwp.mt.gov/fishAndWildlife/livingWithWildlife/beBearAware/

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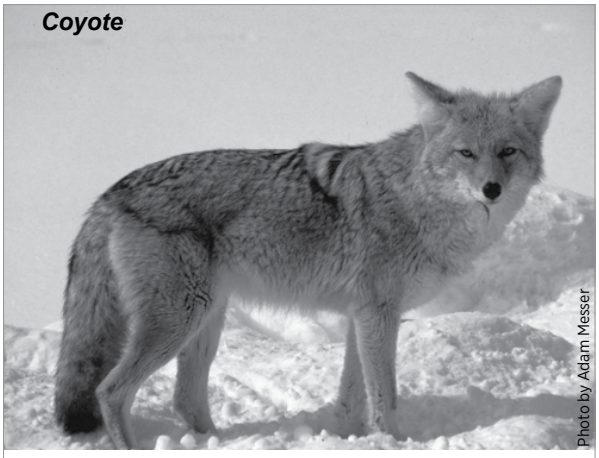
Recognizing A Wolf



- 1.5 feet tall
- 4 feet long
- 30-40 pounds
- Narrow snout
- Pointed ears
- Color light gray to brown
- Track 2.5 inches wide, 2 to 2.5 inches long
- Claws evident

- 2.5 feet tall
- 5-6 feet long
- 70-120 pounds
- Broad snout
- Round ears
- Color light gray to black
- Long, low howl
- Track 4.5 inches wide, 5 to 5.5 inches long
- Claws evident

What Should I Know About Wolves in Montana?

For the latest information about wolves and their management, go to FWP's website at: **fwp.mt.gov/fishAndWildlife/management/wolf**.

Wolves and Game Animals

- Wolves eat deer, elk, and other game animals. In Montana, elk numbers in some areas have declined and so has hunter opportunity, due in part to wolf activity. Yet in other areas where wolves and elk interact, elk numbers are stable or increasing.
- When wolves are in an area, deer and elk use their habitats differently, often seeking greater cover. Hunters may need to adjust their strategies.
- FWP is increasing monitoring and research efforts to learn more about how wolves and game animals interact in different places, and what that means for hunters.

Montana Wolf Basics

- Pack territories can cover 200 square miles or more.
- Packs range from two to 14 animals, averaging about six.
- Wolves often travel separately or in smaller groups.
- Wolves travel widely throughout their territory in the fall.
- Wolves travel on roads and trails regularly.

Hunters Can Help FWP Monitor Wolves

Information provided by hunters during the annual harvest survey will help in the management of wolves. Your information helps FWP know more about wolf numbers and distribution in Montana.

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Deer Permits – 2019 First Choice Drawing Statistics

LPT	Apps	Succ	% Succ
103-50	190	5	2.63
109-50	165	10	6.06
130-50	211	10	4.74
202-50	481	150	31.19
204-50	160	160	100
210-50	806	50	6.2
212-50	182	182	100
213-50	141	141	100
214-50	66	66	100
215-50	274	274	100
217-50	132	132	100
240-50	66	25	37.88
240-51	138	138	100
250-50	475	25	5.26
261-50	1408	15	1.07
262-51	545	40	7.34
270-50	8534	45	0.53
281-50	156	156	100
291-50	1114	30	2.69
291-51	147	30	20.41
292-50	328	328	100
300-50	1005	30	2.99
312-50	867	75	8.65
319-50	173	173	100
324-50	1189	25	2.1
380-50	972	972	100
390-50	156	156	100
391-50	560	560	100
392-50	364	364	100
441-50	1007	35	3.48
455-60	1499	10	0.67
530-50	1069	500	46.77
652-50	1425	100	7.02

Deer B Licenses – 2019 First Choice Drawing Statistics

LPT	Apps	Succ	% Succ
007-03	1998	1998	100
100-00	277	100	36.1
101-00	112	50	44.64
102-00	130	50	38.46
103-00	384	100	26.04
104-00	204	100	49.02
109-00	45	25	55.56
110-00	50	25	50
120-00	177	100	56.5
121-00	352	75	21.31
122-00	272	50	18.38
123-00	55	25	45.45
124-00	81	25	30.86
130-00	218	50	22.94
200-00	45	25	55.56
200-01	15	15	100
201-00	228	100	43.86
201-01	34	15	44.12
202-00	94	25	26.6
202-01	23	15	65.22
203-00	159	50	31.45
204-00	55	55	100
210-00	86	75	87.21
210-01	41	35	85.37
212-00	72	72	100
213-00	62	50	80.65
215-00	106	75	70.75
216-00	52	25	48.08
217-00	46	46	100
260-02	114	114	100
260-20	417	300	71.94
261-01	55	35	63.64
262-00	179	179	100
262-03	14	14	100
270-01	360	50	13.89
281-00	140	25	17.86
282-00	394	25	6.35
283-00	150	50	33.33
285-00	260	35	13.46
290-01	15	15	100
290-51	110	50	45.45
291-00	38	38	100
291-01	82	5	6.1
292-00	158	100	63.29
293-00	96	25	26.04
299-00	138	138	100
309-01	25	25	100
311-01	251	200	79.68
312-01	161	50	31.06
313-01	125	100	80
314-01	104	99	95.19
315-01	62	62	100
315-02	79	70	88.61
317-01	80	80	100
318-01	63	25	39.68
319-01	249	40	16.06
321-01	27	10	37.04
331-01	74	25	33.78
334-01	26	10	38.46
335-01	142	25	17.61
339-01	133	25	18.8
341-01	124	70	56.45
343-01	164	25	15.24
350-01	86	10	11.63
370-01	25	10	40
380-01	245	100	40.82
380-02	299	250	83.61
390-01	74	74	100
391-02	265	265	100
392-01	160	75	46.88
393-01	88	88	100
400-00	160	160	100
401-00	155	155	100
403-00	75	50	66.67
404-00	218	100	45.87
405-00	229	229	100
406-00	101	100	99.01
410-00	143	50	34.97
411-01	87	50	57.47
412-01	70	50	71.43
413-00	264	50	18.94
417-00	50	45	90
419-00	33	33	100
426-00	118	100	84.75
441-00	56	50	89.29
445-01	117	5	4.27
447-00	105	50	47.62
471-00	54	46	85.19
496-00	117	117	100
497-00	143	143	100
498-00	157	157	100
500-00	292	292	100
502-00	140	140	100
510-00	32	32	100
511-00	26	10	38.46
520-00	72	72	100
530-00	163	163	100
540-00	29	10	34.48
560-00	76	40	52.63
570-00	72	40	55.56
575-00	234	234	100
580-00	81	40	49.38
590-00	251	100	39.84
597-00	246	246	100
598-00	323	323	100
599-00	480	480	100
600-01	142	142	100
611-01	35	35	100
620-00	423	405	95.74
630-00	262	255	97.33
640-00	71	71	100
641-01	17	17	100
650-00	113	113	100
651-00	138	138	100
652-01	33	33	100
670-00	205	205	100
680-00	116	116	100
690-00	340	340	100
699-00	160	160	100

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Elk Permits –2019 First Choice Drawing Statistics

LPT	Apps	Succ	% Succ
100-00	188	25	13.3
100-01	14	5	35.71
101-03	19	5	26.32
102-01	7	5	71.43
103-00	278	25	8.99
103-01	15	5	33.33
104-00	152	25	16.45
104-01	7	5	71.43
110-00	41	5	12.2
120-00	87	5	5.75
120-01	6	5	83.33
121-00	638	200	31.35
121-01	9	9	100
121-02	48	20	41.67
122-00	190	25	13.16
122-01	13	5	38.46
123-00	153	50	32.68
123-01	7	5	71.43
124-00	62	25	40.32
124-01	1	1	100
130-00	69	5	7.25
132-00	14	5	35.71
140-00	29	5	17.24
199-00	309	50	16.18

LPT	Apps	Succ	% Succ
200-00	29	5	17.24
201-00	293	150	51.19
202-00	75	30	40
203-00	175	75	42.86
204-00	119	119	100
210-02	165	165	100
211-00	112	112	100
212-00	80	80	100
212-01	46	46	100
213-00	113	113	100
214-00	95	75	78.95
216-00	63	63	100
217-10	732	175	23.91
217-11	58	25	43.1
240-01	272	100	36.76
250-45	1067	45	4.22
261-00	70	35	50
270-45	3208	3208	100
281-01	206	25	12.14
282-10	107	1	0.93
283-10	84	5	5.95
291-02	84	83	98.81
293-00	97	25	25.77
310-46	680	5	0.74

LPT	Apps	Succ	% Succ
313-00	49	30	61.22
313-01	260	30	11.54
313-45	861	50	5.81
339-20	668	40	5.99
340-10	312	250	80.13
380-20	9494	135	1.42
394-00	471	400	84.93
396-00	245	245	100
401-20	425	50	11.76
410-20	5020	150	2.99
410-21	2662	1,900	71.37
411-20	1599	300	18.76
412-20	436	85	19.5
417-20	877	100	11.4
420-20	637	80	12.56
425-20	574	5	0.87
426-20	347	60	17.29
441-20	448	35	7.81
445-20	598	50	8.36
447-20	1121	100	8.92
450-20	16	5	31.25
455-20	846	75	8.87
500-20	330	60	18.18
502-20	126	5	3.97

LPT	Apps	Succ	% Succ
520-20	386	40	10.36
570-20	313	65	20.77
575-20	176	20	11.36
580-21	118	25	21.19
580-22	108	40	37.04
590-20	1047	250	23.88
590-21	165	80	48.48
620-20	988	60	6.07
620-21	1622	1359	83.79
621-20	1308	50	3.82
622-20	1227	50	4.07
631-20	498	30	6.02
631-21	302	200	66.23
632-20	398	10	2.51
632-21	146	100	68.49
690-20	1266	35	2.76
690-21	682	35	5.13
697-00	11	11	100
698-00	227	219	96.48
700-20	2356	250	10.61
700-21	758	578	76.25
799-20	2532	225	8.89
900-20	4656	3700	79.47

Elk B Licenses –2019 First Choice Drawing Statistics

LPT	Apps	Succ	% Succ
004-00	2350	2350	100
005-00	1204	1204	100
007-00	449	449	100
217-01	346	200	57.8
250-00	207	10	4.83
260-00	69	50	72.46
270-01	409	100	24.45
270-02	980	300	30.61
282-00	811	25	3.08
283-02	100	1	1
311-00	206	206	100
314-00	252	252	100
315-01	211	211	100
317-00	542	300	55.35
319-00	816	400	49.02

LPT	Apps	Succ	% Succ
321-00	240	200	83.33
334-00	363	250	68.87
341-00	296	175	59.12
361-00	184	50	27.17
380-00	1206	150	12.44
380-01	539	250	46.38
380-02	594	175	29.46
391-00	480	400	83.33
392-00	359	50	13.93
395-00	63	63	100
398-00	481	458	95.22
399-00	2868	750	26.15
399-01	355	150	42.25
410-00	2973	800	26.91
410-01	299	299	100

LPT	Apps	Succ	% Succ
410-02	467	300	64.24
411-00	307	307	100
422-00	96	93	96.88
425-00	57	20	35.09
425-01	47	20	42.55
425-02	73	15	20.55
425-03	101	15	14.85
425-04	140	10	7.14
425-05	183	10	5.46
442-00	110	50	45.45
448-00	460	150	32.61
455-00	551	250	45.37
520-00	101	50	49.5
520-01	160	25	15.62
540-00	126	100	79.37

LPT	Apps	Succ	% Succ
560-00	88	50	56.82
580-00	175	100	57.14
620-00	356	300	84.27
621-00	132	100	75.76
621-01	723	250	34.58
622-00	991	500	50.45
631-00	271	65	23.99
631-01	27	25	92.59
632-00	72	10	13.89
690-00	22	22	100
690-01	438	300	68.49
696-00	96	96	100
699-00	329	329	100
700-00	1254	700	55.82
799-00	921	600	65.15

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License or Permit	Opportunity	Apply by Date	Quota	Archery Season Dates	Season Dates	Opportunity Specific Details and/or Restrictions
Region 1						
HD 100 - North Kootenai NOTE: CWD has been found in or adjacent to HD 100. For more information about CWD, see page 4.						
Deer						
General Deer License	Antlered Buck Mule Deer	-	-	Sep 05-Oct 18	Oct 24-Nov 29	
	Either-sex White-tailed Deer	-	-	Sep 05-Oct 18	Oct 24-Oct 30	
	Antlered Buck White-tailed Deer	-	-	-	Oct 31-Nov 29	
	Either-sex White-tailed Deer	-	-	-	Oct 31-Nov 29	Only youth ages 10-15 and hunters with a PTHFV.
		-	-	-	Nov 23-Nov 29	Only valid on private land, excluding Weyerhaeuser, Stoltze and Stimson Timber lands.
Deer B License: 100-00	Antlerless White-tailed Deer	June 1	100	Sep 05-Oct 18	Oct 24-Nov 29	
Deer B License: 199-20	Either-sex White-tailed Deer	OTC: Aug 10	UNL	Sep 05-Oct 18	Oct 24-Nov 29	One per hunter. Only valid in the Libby CWD Management Zone. Portions of HDs 100, 103 & 104.
Elk						
General Elk License	Brow-tined Bull or Antlerless Elk	-	-	Sep 05-Oct 18	-	
	Brow-tined Bull Elk	-	-	-	Oct 24-Nov 29	
Elk Permit: 100-00	Antlerless Elk	April 1	25	Sep 05-Oct 18	Oct 24-Nov 29	Holders may not hunt antlered elk in HD 100.
Elk Permit: 100-01	Antlerless Elk	April 1	5	-	Oct 24-Nov 29	Hunters with a PTHFV. Holders may not hunt antlered elk in HD 100.
HD 101 - Eureka						
Deer						
General Deer License	Antlered Buck Mule Deer	-	-	Sep 05-Oct 18	Oct 24-Nov 29	
	Either-sex White-tailed Deer	-	-	Sep 05-Oct 18	Oct 24-Oct 30	
	Antlered Buck White-tailed Deer	-	-	-	Oct 31-Nov 29	
	Either-sex White-tailed Deer	-	-	-	Oct 31-Nov 29	Only youth ages 10-15 and hunters with a PTHFV.
		-	-	-	Nov 23-Nov 29	Only valid on private land, excluding Weyerhaeuser, Stoltze and Stimson Timber lands.
Deer B License: 101-00	Antlerless White-tailed Deer	June 1	50	Sep 05-Oct 18	Oct 24-Nov 29	Only valid on private land, excluding Weyerhaeuser, Stoltze and Stimson Timber lands.
Elk						
General Elk License	Brow-tined Bull or Antlerless Elk	-	-	Sep 05-Oct 18	-	
	Brow-tined Bull Elk	-	-	-	Oct 24-Nov 29	
Elk Permit: 101-03	Antlerless Elk	April 1	5	-	Oct 24-Nov 29	Hunters with a PTHFV. Holders may not hunt antlered elk in HD 101.
Elk Permit: 199-00	Antlerless Elk	April 1	50	-	Aug 15-Feb 15	Valid in HDs 101 and 109. Only valid on private land excluding Weyerhaeuser, Stoltze and Stimson Timber lands. Secure access before applying. Holders may not hunt antlered elk in either HD.

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License or Permit	Opportunity	Apply by Date	Quota	Archery Season Dates	Season Dates	Opportunity Specific Details and/or Restrictions
HD 102 - Tally Lake						
Deer						
General Deer License	Antlered Buck Mule Deer	-	-	Sep 05-Oct 18	Oct 24-Nov 29	
	Either-sex White-tailed Deer	-	-	Sep 05-Oct 18	Oct 24-Oct 30	
	Antlered Buck White-tailed Deer	-	-	-	Oct 31-Nov 29	
	Either-sex White-tailed Deer	-	-	-	Oct 31-Nov 29	Only youth ages 10-15 and hunters with a PTHFV.
		-	-	-	Nov 23-Nov 29	Only valid on private lands, excluding Weyerhaeuser, Stoltze and Stimson Timber lands.
Deer B License: 102-00	Antlerless White-tailed Deer	June 1	50	Sep 05-Oct 18	Oct 24-Nov 29	Only valid on private land, excluding Weyerhaeuser, Stoltze and Stimson Timber lands.
Elk						
General Elk License	Brow-tined Bull or Antlerless Elk	-	-	Sep 05-Oct 18	-	
	Brow-tined Bull Elk	-	-	-	Oct 24-Nov 29	
Elk Permit: 102-01	Antlerless Elk	April 1	5	-	Oct 24-Nov 29	Hunters with a PTHFV. Holders may not hunt antlered elk in HD 102.
HD 103 - East Fisher-Pleasant Valley						
NOTE: CWD has been found in or adjacent to HD 103. For more information about CWD, see page 4. NOTE: HD 103 Check Restricted Area Legal Description (p 26-27) Libby Big Game Archery Only Hunting Area NOTE: Lost Trail National Wildlife Refuge has special youth only hunts during the first week of the Archery Only Season and the first week of the General Firearm Season which are restricted to youth ages 12-15 only. Contact Lost Trail National Wildlife Refuge for further information 406-858-2216.						
Deer						
General Deer License	Antlered Buck Mule Deer	-	-	Sep 05-Oct 18	Oct 24-Nov 29	Only valid outside the North Fisher Portion, see legal description.
	Either-sex White-tailed Deer	-	-	Sep 05-Oct 18	Oct 24-Oct 30	
	Antlered Buck White-tailed Deer	-	-	-	Oct 31-Nov 29	
	Either-sex White-tailed Deer	-	-	-	Oct 31-Nov 29	Only youth ages 10-15 and hunters with a PTHFV.
		-	-	-	Nov 23-Nov 29	Only valid on private land, excluding Weyerhaeuser, Stoltze and Stimson Timber lands.
Deer Permit: 103-50	Antlered Buck Mule Deer	April 1	5	Sep 05-Oct 18	Oct 24-Nov 29	Only valid in the North Fisher Portion, see legal description. Permit must be used with a valid General Deer License. Holders may not hunt Antlered Buck Mule Deer outside the North Fisher Portion of HD 103 or in any other HD.
Deer B License: 103-00	Antlerless White-tailed Deer	June 1	100	Sep 05-Oct 18	Oct 24-Nov 29	
Deer B License: 199-20	Either-sex White-tailed Deer	OTC: Aug 10	UNL	Sep 05-Oct 18	Oct 24-Nov 29	One per hunter. Only valid in the Libby CWD Management Zone. Portions of HDs 100, 103 & 104.
Elk						
General Elk License	Brow-tined Bull or Antlerless Elk	-	-	Sep 05-Oct 18	-	
	Brow-tined Bull Elk	-	-	-	Oct 24-Nov 29	
Elk Permit: 103-00	Antlerless Elk	April 1	25	Sep 05-Oct 18	Oct 24-Nov 29	Holders may not hunt antlered elk in HD 103.
Elk Permit: 103-01	Antlerless Elk	April 1	5	-	Oct 24-Nov 29	Hunters with a PTHFV. Holders may not hunt antlered elk in HD 103.

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HD 104 - Cabinets						
NOTE: CWD has been found in or adjacent to HD 104. For more information about CWD, see page 4.						
Deer						
General Deer License	Antlered Buck Mule Deer	-	-	Sep 05-Oct 18	Oct 24-Nov 29	
	Either-sex White-tailed Deer	-	-	Sep 05-Oct 18	Oct 24-Oct 30	
	Antlered Buck White-tailed Deer	-	-	-	Oct 31-Nov 29	
	Either-sex White-tailed Deer	-	-	-	Oct 31-Nov 29	Only youth ages 10-15 and hunters with a PTHFV.
		-	-	-	Nov 23-Nov 29	Only valid on private land, excluding Weyerhaeuser, Stoltze and Stimson Timber lands.
Deer B License: 104-00	Antlerless White-tailed Deer	June 1	100	Sep 05-Oct 18	Oct 24-Nov 29	
Deer B License: 199-20	Either-sex White-tailed Deer	OTC: Aug 10	UNL	Sep 05-Oct 18	Oct 24-Nov 29	One per hunter. Only valid in the Libby CWD Management Zone. Portions of HDs 100, 103 & 104.
Elk						
General Elk License	Brow-tined Bull or Antlerless Elk	-	-	Sep 05-Oct 18	-	
	Brow-tined Bull Elk	-	-	-	Oct 24-Nov 29	
Elk Permit: 104-00	Antlerless Elk	April 1	25	Sep 05-Oct 18	Oct 24-Nov 29	Holders may not hunt antlered elk in HD 104.
Elk Permit: 104-01	Antlerless Elk	April 1	5	-	Oct 24-Nov 29	Hunters with a PTHFV. Holders may not hunt antlered elk in HD 104.
HD 109 - Ten Lakes						
Deer						
General Deer License	Antlered Buck Mule Deer	-	-	Sep 05-Oct 18	Oct 24-Nov 15	
	Either-sex White-tailed Deer	-	-	Sep 05-Oct 18	Oct 24-Oct 30	
	Antlered Buck White-tailed Deer	-	-	-	Oct 31-Nov 29	
	Either-sex White-tailed Deer	-	-	-	Oct 31-Nov 29	Only youth ages 10-15 and hunters with a PTHFV.
		-	-	-	Nov 23-Nov 29	Only valid on private lands, excluding Weyerhaeuser, Stoltze and Stimson Timber lands.
Deer Permit: 109-50	Antlered Buck Mule Deer	April 1	10	-	Nov 16-Nov 29	
Deer B License: 109-00	Antlerless White-tailed Deer	June 1	25	Sep 05-Oct 18	Oct 24-Nov 29	Only valid on private land, excluding Weyerhaeuser, Stoltze and Stimson Timber lands.
Elk						
General Elk License	Brow-tined Bull or Antlerless Elk	-	-	Sep 05-Oct 18	-	
	Brow-tined Bull Elk	-	-	-	Oct 24-Nov 29	
Elk Permit: 199-00	Antlerless Elk	April 1	50	-	Aug 15-Feb 15	Valid in HDs 101 and 109. Only valid on private land excluding Weyerhaeuser, Stoltze and Stimson Timber lands. Secure access before applying. Holders may not hunt antlered elk in either HD.

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License or Permit	Opportunity	Apply by Date	Quota	Archery Season Dates	Season Dates	Opportunity Specific Details and/or Restrictions
HD 110 - North Fork						
Deer						
General Deer License	Antlered Buck Mule Deer	-	-	Sep 05-Oct 18	Oct 24-Nov 29	
	Either-sex White-tailed Deer	-	-	Sep 05-Oct 18	Oct 24-Oct 30	
	Antlered Buck White-tailed Deer	-	-	-	Oct 31-Nov 29	
	Either-sex White-tailed Deer	-	-	-	Oct 31-Nov 29	Only youth ages 10-15 and hunters with a PTHFV.
		-	-	-	Nov 23-Nov 29	Valid on private lands only, excluding Weyerhaeuser, Stoltze and Stimson Timber lands.
Deer B License: 110-00	Antlerless White-tailed Deer	June 1	25	Sep 05-Oct 18	Oct 24-Nov 29	Only valid on private land, excluding Weyerhaeuser, Stoltze and Stimson Timber lands.
Elk						
General Elk License	Brow-tined Bull or Antlerless Elk	-	-	Sep 05-Oct 18	-	
	Brow-tined Bull Elk	-	-	-	Oct 24-Nov 29	
Elk Permit: 110-00	Antlerless Elk	April 1	5	Sep 05-Oct 18	Oct 24-Nov 29	Holders may not hunt antlered elk in HD 110.
HD 120 - Blacktail						
NOTE: HD 120 Check Restricted Area Legal Description (p 26-27) Smith Valley Weapons Restriction Area between Smith Lake Road and US Hwy 2 restricted to ArchEquip, shotgun, traditional handgun, muzzleloader or crossbow only						
Deer						
General Deer License	Antlered Buck Mule Deer	-	-	Sep 05-Oct 18	Oct 24-Nov 29	
	Either-sex White-tailed Deer	-	-	Sep 05-Oct 18	Oct 24-Oct 30	
	Antlered Buck White-tailed Deer	-	-	-	Oct 31-Nov 29	
	Either-sex White-tailed Deer	-	-	-	Oct 31-Nov 29	Only youth ages 10-15 and hunters with a PTHFV.
		-	-	-	Nov 23-Nov 29	Valid on private lands only, excluding Weyerhaeuser, Stoltze and Stimson Timber lands.
Deer B License: 120-00	Antlerless White-tailed Deer	June 1	100	Sep 05-Oct 18	Oct 24-Nov 29	Only valid on private land, excluding Weyerhaeuser, Stoltze and Stimson Timber lands.
Elk						
General Elk License	Brow-tined Bull or Antlerless Elk	-	-	Sep 05-Oct 18	-	
	Brow-tined Bull Elk	-	-	-	Oct 24-Nov 29	
Elk Permit: 120-00	Antlerless Elk	April 1	5	Sep 05-Oct 18	Oct 24-Nov 29	Holders may not hunt antlered elk in HD 120.
Elk Permit: 120-01	Antlerless Elk	April 1	5	-	Oct 24-Nov 29	Hunters with a PTHFV. Holders may not hunt antlered elk in HD 120.
HD 121 - West Clark Fork						
Deer						
General Deer License	Antlered Buck Mule Deer	-	-	Sep 05-Oct 18	Oct 24-Nov 29	
	Either-sex White-tailed Deer	-	-	Sep 05-Oct 18	-	
	Antlered Buck White-tailed Deer	-	-	-	Oct 24-Nov 29	
	Either-sex White-tailed Deer	-	-	-	Oct 24-Nov 29	Only youth ages 10-15 and hunters with a PTHFV.
Deer B License: 121-00	Antlerless White-tailed Deer	June 1	75	Sep 05-Oct 18	Oct 24-Nov 29	
Elk						
General Elk License	Brow-tined Bull or Antlerless Elk	-	-	Sep 05-Oct 18	-	
	Brow-tined Bull Elk	-	-	-	Oct 24-Nov 29	
Elk Permit: 121-00	Antlerless Elk	April 1	150	Sep 05-Oct 18	Oct 24-Nov 29	Holders may not hunt antlered elk in HD 121.
Elk Permit: 121-01	Antlerless Elk	April 1	10	-	Oct 24-Nov 29	Hunters with a PTHFV. Holders may not hunt antlered elk in HD 121.
Elk Permit: 121-02	Antlerless Elk	April 1	20	-	Nov 30-Feb 15	Only valid on private land in HD 121. Excluding Stimson Lumber Company and Avista land.

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License or Permit	Opportunity	Apply by Date	Quota	Archery Season Dates	Season Dates	Opportunity Specific Details and/or Restrictions
HD 122 - Thompson River						
Deer						
General Deer License	Antlered Buck Mule Deer	-	-	Sep 05-Oct 18	Oct 24-Nov 29	
	Either-sex White-tailed Deer	-	-	Sep 05-Oct 18	-	
	Antlered Buck White-tailed Deer	-	-	-	Oct 24-Nov 29	
	Either-sex White-tailed Deer	-	-	-	Oct 24-Nov 29	Only youth ages 10-15 and hunters with a PTHFV.
Deer B License: 122-00	Antlerless White-tailed Deer	June 1	50	Sep 05-Oct 18	Oct 24-Nov 29	
Elk						
General Elk License	Brow-tined Bull or Antlerless Elk	-	-	Sep 05-Oct 18	-	
	Brow-tined Bull Elk	-	-	-	Oct 24-Nov 29	
Elk Permit: 122-00	Antlerless Elk	April 1	25	Sep 05-Oct 18	Oct 24-Nov 29	Holders may not hunt antlered elk in HD 122.
Elk Permit: 122-01	Antlerless Elk	April 1	5	-	Oct 24-Nov 29	Hunters with a PTHFV. Holders may not hunt antlered elk in HD 122.
HD 123 - Clark Mountain						
Deer						
General Deer License	Antlered Buck Mule Deer	-	-	Sep 05-Oct 18	Oct 24-Nov 29	
	Either-sex White-tailed Deer	-	-	Sep 05-Oct 18	-	
	Antlered Buck White-tailed Deer	-	-	-	Oct 24-Nov 29	
	Either-sex White-tailed Deer	-	-	-	Oct 24-Nov 29	Only youth ages 10-15 and hunters with a PTHFV.
Deer B License: 123-00	Antlerless White-tailed Deer	June 1	25	Sep 05-Oct 18	Oct 24-Nov 29	
Elk						
General Elk License	Brow-tined Bull or Antlerless Elk	-	-	Sep 05-Oct 18	-	
	Brow-tined Bull Elk	-	-	-	Oct 24-Nov 29	
Elk Permit: 123-00	Antlerless Elk	April 1	50	Sep 05-Oct 18	Oct 24-Nov 29	Holders may not hunt antlered elk in HD 123.
Elk Permit: 123-01	Antlerless Elk	April 1	5	-	Oct 24-Nov 29	Hunters with a PTHFV. Holders may not hunt antlered elk in HD 123.
HD 124 - Arvilla						
Deer						
General Deer License	Antlered Buck Mule Deer	-	-	Sep 05-Oct 18	Oct 24-Nov 29	
	Either-sex White-tailed Deer	-	-	Sep 05-Oct 18	-	
	Antlered Buck White-tailed Deer	-	-	-	Oct 24-Nov 29	
	Either-sex White-tailed Deer	-	-	-	Oct 24-Nov 29	Only youth ages 10-15 and hunters with a PTHFV.
Deer B License: 124-00	Antlerless White-tailed Deer	June 1	25	Sep 05-Oct 18	Oct 24-Nov 29	
Elk						
General Elk License	Brow-tined Bull or Antlerless Elk	-	-	Sep 05-Oct 18	-	
	Brow-tined Bull Elk	-	-	-	Oct 24-Nov 29	
Elk Permit: 124-00	Antlerless Elk	April 1	25	Sep 05-Oct 18	Oct 24-Nov 29	Holders may not hunt antlered elk in HD 124.
Elk Permit: 124-01	Antlerless Elk	April 1	5	-	Oct 24-Nov 29	Hunters with a PTHFV. Holders may not hunt antlered elk in HD 124.

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HD 130 - Swan						
Deer						
General Deer License	Antlered Buck Mule Deer	-	-	Sep 05-Oct 18	Oct 24-Nov 29	
	Either-sex White-tailed Deer	-	-	Sep 05-Oct 18	-	
	Antlered Buck White-tailed Deer	-	-	-	Oct 24-Nov 29	
	Either-sex White-tailed Deer	-	-	-	Oct 24-Nov 29	Only youth ages 10-15 and hunters with a PTHFV.
Deer Permit: 130-50	Antlered Buck Mule Deer	April 1	10	Sep 05-Sep 14	Sep 15-Nov 29	Permit must be used with a valid General Deer License. Holders may not hunt Antlered Buck Mule Deer in any other HD. Only valid in Mission Mtns Wilderness portion of Flathead National Forest.
Deer B License: 130-00	Antlerless White-tailed Deer	June 1	50	Sep 05-Oct 18	Oct 24-Nov 29	
Elk						
General Elk License	Brow-tined Bull or Antlerless Elk	-	-	Sep 05-Oct 18	-	
	Brow-tined Bull Elk	-	-	-	Oct 24-Nov 29	
Elk Permit: 130-00	Antlerless Elk	April 1	5	Sep 05-Oct 18	Oct 24-Nov 29	Holders may not hunt antlered elk in HD 130.
HD 140 - Lower South Fork						
Deer						
General Deer License	Antlered Buck Mule Deer	-	-	Sep 05-Oct 18	Oct 24-Nov 29	
	Either-sex White-tailed Deer	-	-	Sep 05-Oct 18	-	
	Antlered Buck White-tailed Deer	-	-	-	Oct 24-Nov 29	
	Either-sex White-tailed Deer	-	-	-	Oct 24-Nov 29	Only youth ages 10-15.
Elk						
General Elk License	Brow-tined Bull or Antlerless Elk	-	-	Sep 05-Oct 18	-	
	Brow-tined Bull Elk	-	-	-	Oct 24-Nov 29	
HD 141 - Lower Middle Fork NOTE: HD 141 Check Restricted Area Legal Description (p 26-27) BNSF right-of-way from Marias Pass to the Java Creek Bridge						
Deer						
General Deer License	Antlered Buck Mule Deer	-	-	Sep 05-Oct 18	Oct 24-Nov 29	
	Either-sex White-tailed Deer	-	-	Sep 05-Oct 18	-	
	Antlered Buck White-tailed Deer	-	-	-	Oct 24-Nov 29	
	Either-sex White-tailed Deer	-	-	-	Oct 24-Nov 29	Only youth ages 10-15.
Elk						
General Elk License	Brow-tined Bull	-	-	Sep 05-Oct 18	-	
	Brow-tined Bull Elk	-	-	-	Oct 24-Nov 29	
HD 150 - Upper South Fork NOTE: Boundary Change, Backcountry - Remote location, access difficult.						
Deer						
General Deer License	Antlered Buck Mule Deer	-	-	Sep 05-Sep 14	Sep 15-Nov 29	
	Either-sex White-tailed Deer	-	-	Sep 05-Sep 14	-	
	Antlered Buck White-tailed Deer	-	-	-	Sep 15-Nov 29	
	Either-sex White-tailed Deer	-	-	-	Sep 15-Nov 29	Only youth ages 10-15.
Elk						
General Elk License	Brow-tined Bull	-	-	Sep 05-Sep 14	-	
	Brow-tined Bull Elk	-	-	-	Sep 15-Nov 29	

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HD 170 - Flathead River						
NOTE: HD 170 Check Restricted Area Legal Description (p 26-27) Kuhns WMA; Flathead Weapons Restriction Area and Blasdel WPAs						
Deer						
General Deer License	Antlered Buck Mule Deer	-	-	Sep 05-Oct 18	-	
	Either-sex White-tailed Deer	-	-	Sep 05-Oct 18	-	
	Either-sex Mule Deer	-	-	-	Oct 24-Nov 29	
	Either-sex White-tailed Deer	-	-	-	Oct 24-Nov 29	
Deer B License: 170-00	Antlerless White-tailed Deer	OTC: Aug 10	UNL	Sep 05-Oct 18	Oct 24-Nov 29	One per hunter.
				-	Nov 30-Dec 15	ArchEquip only. Does not include Kuhns WMA. One per hunter.
Elk						
General Elk License	Brow-tined Bull	-	-	Sep 05-Oct 18	Oct 24-Nov 29	
	Brow-tined Bull or Antlerless Elk	-	-	Sep 05-Oct 18	Oct 24-Nov 29	Only valid north of Lake Blaine Road and west of Hwy 35.
Region 2						
HD 200 - North St.Regis						
Deer						
General Deer License	Antlered Buck Mule Deer	-	-	Sep 05-Oct 18	Oct 24-Nov 29	
	Either-sex White-tailed Deer	-	-	Sep 05-Oct 18	-	
	Antlered Buck White-tailed Deer	-	-	-	Oct 24-Nov 29	
	Either-sex White-tailed Deer	-	-	-	Oct 24-Nov 29	Only youth ages 10-15.
Deer B License: 200-00	Antlerless White-tailed Deer	June 1	25	Sep 05-Oct 18	Oct 24-Nov 29	
Deer B License: 200-01	Antlerless White-tailed Deer	June 1	15	Sep 05-Oct 18	Oct 24-Nov 29	Only valid in Mullan Gulch area.
Elk						
General Elk License	Brow-tined Bull Elk	-	-	Sep 05-Oct 18	Oct 24-Nov 29	
Elk Permit: 200-00	Antlerless Elk	April 1	5	Sep 05-Oct 18	Oct 24-Nov 29	Only valid in Mullan Gulch area. Holders may not hunt antlered elk in HD 200.
HD 201 - Ninemile-North Superior						
Deer						
General Deer License	Antlered Buck Mule Deer	-	-	Sep 05-Oct 18	Oct 24-Nov 29	
	Either-sex White-tailed Deer	-	-	Sep 05-Oct 18	-	
	Antlered Buck White-tailed Deer	-	-	-	Oct 24-Nov 29	
	Either-sex White-tailed Deer	-	-	-	Oct 24-Nov 29	Only youth ages 10-15.
Deer B License: 201-00	Antlerless White-tailed Deer	June 1	100	Sep 05-Oct 18	Oct 24-Nov 29	
Deer B License: 201-01	Antlerless White-tailed Deer	June 1	15	Sep 05-Oct 18	Oct 24-Nov 29	Valid only in the Four Mile Area portion of HD 201.
Elk						
General Elk License	Brow-tined Bull or Antlerless Elk	-	-	Sep 05-Oct 18	-	
	Brow-tined Bull Elk	-	-	-	Oct 24-Nov 29	
	Brow-tined Bull or Antlerless Elk	-	-	-	Oct 24-Nov 29	Only youth ages 12-15 and hunters with a PTHFV. Private lands only. Not valid north and west of Deep Creek in Mineral County.
Elk Permit: 201-00	Antlerless Elk	April 1	150	Sep 05-Oct 18	Oct 24-Nov 29	Holders may not hunt antlered elk in HD 201.
Elk B License: 201-01	Antlerless Elk	June 1	150	Sep 05-Oct 18	Oct 24-Nov 29	Only valid on private lands, excluding Weyerhaeuser and Stimson lands. Not valid north and west of Deep Creek in Mineral County. Also valid on private lands in HD 260 as listed.

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HD 202 - South Superior						
Deer						
General Deer License	Either-sex White-tailed Deer	-	-	Sep 05-Oct 18	-	
	Antlered Buck White-tailed Deer	-	-	-	Oct 24-Nov 29	
	Either-sex White-tailed Deer	-	-	-	Oct 24-Nov 29	Only youth ages 10-15.
Deer Permit: 202-50	Antlered Buck Mule Deer	April 1	150	Sep 05-Oct 18	Oct 24-Nov 29	Permit must be used with a valid General Deer License. Holders may not hunt Antlered Buck Mule Deer in any other HD.
Deer B License: 202-00	Antlerless White-tailed Deer	June 1	25	Sep 05-Oct 18	Oct 24-Nov 29	
Deer B License: 202-01	Antlerless White-tailed Deer	June 1	15	Sep 05-Oct 18	Oct 24-Nov 29	Only valid between Trout and Quartz Crks.
Elk						
General Elk License	Brow-tined Bull Elk	-	-	Sep 05-Oct 18	Oct 24-Nov 29	
Elk Permit: 202-00	Antlerless Elk	April 1	30	Sep 05-Oct 18	Oct 24-Nov 29	Only valid between Trout and Quartz Crks. Holders may not hunt antlered elk in HD 202.
HD 203 - Grave Creek Range						
Deer						
General Deer License	Antlered Buck Mule Deer	-	-	Sep 05-Oct 18	Oct 24-Nov 29	
	Either-sex White-tailed Deer	-	-	Sep 05-Oct 18	-	
	Antlered Buck White-tailed Deer	-	-	-	Oct 24-Nov 29	
	Either-sex White-tailed Deer	-	-	-	Oct 24-Nov 29	Only youth ages 10-15.
Deer B License: 203-00	Antlerless White-tailed Deer	June 1	50	Sep 05-Oct 18	Oct 24-Nov 29	
Elk						
General Elk License	Brow-tined Bull Elk	-	-	Sep 05-Oct 18	Oct 24-Nov 29	
	Brow-tined Bull or Antlerless Elk	-	-	Sep 05-Oct 18	-	Only valid east of Petty Crk - Grave Crk road.
		-	-	-	Oct 24-Nov 29	Only youth ages 12-15 and hunters with a PTHFV. Only valid east of Petty Crk - Grave Crk road.
Elk Permit: 203-00	Antlerless Elk	April 1	75	Sep 05-Oct 18	Oct 24-Nov 29	Holders may not hunt antlered elk in HD 203. Only valid east of Petty Crk - Grave Crk road.
HD 204 - North Sapphire						
Deer						
General Deer License	Either-sex White-tailed Deer	-	-	Sep 05-Oct 18	Oct 24-Nov 01	
	Antlered Buck White-tailed Deer	-	-	-	Nov 02-Nov 29	
	Either-sex White-tailed Deer	-	-	-	Nov 02-Nov 29	Only youth ages 10-15.
Deer Permit: 204-50	Antlered Buck Mule Deer	April 1	UNL	Sep 05-Oct 18	Oct 24-Nov 15	One per hunter. Permit must be used with a valid General Deer License. Holders may not hunt Antlered Buck Mule Deer in any other HD.
Deer B License: 204-00	Antlerless Mule Deer	June 1	100	Sep 05-Oct 18	Oct 24-Nov 29	Only valid on private land.
Deer B License: 260-01	Antlerless White-tailed Deer	OTC: Aug 10	UNL	-	Sep 05-Jan 15	ArchEquip only. Hunters may purchase up to five 260-01 Antlerless White-tailed Deer B Licenses per hunter. Only valid in HDs 204, 240, 260, 261, 262, 270, and 283.
Deer B License: 299-00	Antlerless White-tailed Deer	OTC: Aug 10	UNL	Sep 05-Oct 18	Oct 24-Nov 29	One per hunter. Only valid on private land in HDs 204, 240, 261, and 270.

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HD 204 - North Sapphire - Continued						
Elk						
General Elk License	Brow-tined Bull or Antlerless Elk	-	-	Sep 05-Oct 18	-	
	Brow-tined Bull Elk	-	-	-	Oct 24-Nov 29	
	Brow-tined Bull or Antlerless Elk	-	-	-	Oct 24-Nov 29	Only youth ages 12-15 and hunters with a PTHFV.
Elk Permit: 204-00	Antlerless Elk	April 1	150	Sep 05-Oct 18	Oct 24-Nov 29	Holders may not hunt antlered elk in HD 204.
Elk B License: 262-01	Antlerless Elk	OTC: Aug 10	UNL	-	Aug 15-Sep 04	One per hunter. Must purchase before start of general rifle season. Only valid on private lands in HDs 204, 260, 261, 262, and 270.
				Sep 05-Oct 18	Oct 24-Nov 29	
HD 210 - John Long Range						
Deer						
General Deer License	Antlerless Mule Deer	-	-	Sep 05-Oct 18	Oct 24-Nov 29	Only youth ages 10-15. Only valid outside National Forest boundary and NOT valid on FWP WMAs or BLM lands.
	Either-sex White-tailed Deer	-	-	Sep 05-Oct 18	Oct 24-Nov 01	
	Antlered Buck White-tailed Deer	-	-	-	Nov 02-Nov 29	
	Either-sex White-tailed Deer	-	-	-	Nov 02-Nov 29	Only youth ages 10-15.
Deer Permit: 210-50	Antlered Buck Mule Deer	April 1	50	Sep 05-Oct 18	Oct 24-Nov 29	Permit must be used with a valid General Deer License. Holders may not hunt Antlered Buck Mule Deer in any other HD.
Deer B License: 210-00	Antlerless White-tailed Deer	June 1	75	Sep 05-Oct 18	Oct 24-Nov 29	
Deer B License: 210-01	Antlerless Mule Deer	June 1	35	Sep 05-Oct 18	Oct 24-Nov 29	Only valid on private land.
Deer B License: 210-02	Antlerless White-tailed Deer	OTC: Aug 10	UNL	Sep 05-Oct 18	Oct 24-Jan 01	Valid outside the National Forest Boundary and NOT valid on FWP WMAs or BLM lands. Up to two per hunter.
Elk						
General Elk License	Brow-tined Bull or Antlerless Elk	-	-	Sep 05-Oct 18	-	
	Brow-tined Bull Elk	-	-	-	Oct 24-Nov 29	
	Brow-tined Bull or Antlerless Elk	-	-	-	Oct 24-Nov 29	Only youth ages 12-15 and hunters with a PTHFV.
Elk Permit: 210-02	Antlerless Elk	April 1	130	Sep 05-Oct 18	Oct 24-Nov 29	Holders 16 or older may not hunt antlered elk in HD 210.
Elk Permit: 210-03	Antlerless Elk	April 1	800	-	Aug 15-Oct 23	Valid on private lands in HDs 210, 211, 212, and 216. Holders 16 and older may not hunt antlered elk in valid HDs.
				-	Oct 24-Nov 29	Valid on the above described private lands AND ALSO VALID on DNRC lands outside the National Forest Service Boundary. Holders 16 and older may not hunt antlered elk in valid HDs.
HD 211 - Upper Rock Creek - Georgetown Lake Note: Boundary change						
Deer						
General Deer License	Antlered Buck Mule Deer	-	-	Sep 05-Oct 18	Oct 24-Nov 29	
	Either-sex White-tailed Deer	-	-	Sep 05-Oct 18	Oct 24-Nov 01	
	Antlered Buck White-tailed Deer	-	-	-	Nov 02-Nov 29	
	Either-sex White-tailed Deer	-	-	-	Nov 02-Nov 29	Only youth ages 10-15.

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HD 211 - Upper Rock Creek - Georgetown Lake - Continued Note: Boundary change						
Elk						
General Elk License	Brow-tined Bull or Antlerless Elk	-	-	Sep 05-Oct 18	-	
	Brow-tined Bull Elk	-	-	-	Oct 24-Nov 29	
	Brow-tined Bull or Antlerless Elk	-	-	-	Oct 24-Nov 29	Only youth ages 12-15 and hunters with a PTHFV.
Elk Permit: 210-03	Antlerless Elk	April 1	800	-	Aug 15-Oct 23	Valid on private lands in HDs 210, 211, 212, and 216. Holders 16 and older may not hunt antlered elk in valid districts.
				-	Oct 24-Nov 29	Valid on the above described private lands AND ALSO VALID on DNRC lands outside the National Forest Service Boundary. Holders 16 and older may not hunt antlered elk in valid districts.
Elk Permit: 211-00	Antlerless Elk	April 1	120	Sep 05-Oct 18	Oct 24-Nov 29	Holders 16 and older may not hunt antlered elk in HD 211.
HD 212 - West Flint Range NOTE: Boundary Change.						
Deer						
General Deer License	Antlerless Mule Deer	-	-	Sep 05-Oct 18	Oct 24-Nov 29	Only youth ages 10-15. Only valid outside National Forest boundary and NOT valid on FWP WMAs or BLM lands.
	Either-sex White-tailed Deer	-	-	Sep 05-Oct 18	Oct 24-Nov 29	
Deer Permit: 212-50	Antlered Buck Mule Deer	April 1	UNL	Sep 05-Oct 18	Oct 24-Nov 29	One per hunter. Permit must be used with a valid General Deer License. Holders may not hunt Antlered Buck Mule Deer in any other HD.
Deer B License: 212-00	Antlerless Mule Deer	June 1	40	Sep 05-Oct 18	Oct 24-Nov 29	Only valid on private land.
Deer B License: 212-02	Antlerless White-tailed Deer	OTC: Aug 10	UNL	Sep 05-Oct 18	Oct 24-Jan 01	Valid outside the National Forest Boundary and NOT valid on FWP WMAs or BLM lands. One per hunter.
Elk						
General Elk License	Brow-tined Bull or Antlerless Elk	-	-	Sep 05-Oct 18	-	
	Brow-tined Bull Elk	-	-	-	Oct 24-Nov 29	
	Brow-tined Bull or Antlerless Elk	-	-	-	Oct 24-Nov 29	Only youth ages 12-15 and hunters with a PTHFV.
Elk Permit: 210-03	Antlerless Elk	April 1	800	-	Aug 15-Oct 23	Valid on private lands in HDs 210, 211, 212, and 216. Holders 16 and older may not hunt antlered elk in valid districts.
				-	Oct 24-Nov 29	Valid on the above described private lands AND ALSO VALID on DNRC lands outside the National Forest Service Boundary. Holders 16 and older may not hunt antlered elk in valid districts.
Elk Permit: 212-00	Antlerless Elk	April 1	30	Sep 05-Oct 18	Oct 24-Nov 29	Holders 16 and older may not hunt antlered elk in HD 212.

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HD 213 - East Flint Range NOTE: HD 213 Check Restricted Area Legal Description (p 26-27) Grant Kohrs Ranch near Deer Lodge; Portion of the State Prison Ranch property west of Deer Lodge; Prison Ranch Archery Only Area Legal description and map available from FWP-R2 406-542-5500, in Missoula. Boundary Change. Hunters must contact Prison authorities between Aug 1 - Dec 15 of the current license year at 406-846-1320 x2351 for permission to access the Prison Ranch. Note: Boundary change						
Deer						
General Deer License	Antlerless Mule Deer	-	-	Sep 05-Oct 18	Oct 24-Nov 29	Only youth ages 10-15. Only valid outside National Forest boundary and NOT valid on FWP WMAs or BLM lands.
	Either-sex White-tailed Deer	-	-	Sep 05-Oct 18	Oct 24-Nov 29	
	Either-sex White-tailed Deer	-	-	-	Nov 30-Jan 01	Only valid on Prison Ranch ArchEquip only area.
Deer Permit: 213-50	Antlered Buck Mule Deer	April 1	UNL	Sep 05-Oct 18	Oct 24-Nov 29	One per hunter. Permit must be used with a valid General Deer License. Holders may not hunt Antlered Buck Mule Deer in any other HD.
Deer B License: 213-00	Antlerless Mule Deer	June 1	100	Sep 05-Oct 18	Oct 24-Nov 29	Only valid outside National Forest boundary and NOT valid on FWP WMAs or BLM lands.
Deer B License: 213-02	Antlerless White-tailed Deer	OTC: Aug 10	UNL	Sep 05-Oct 18	Oct 24-Nov 29	Valid outside the National Forest Boundary and NOT valid on FWP WMAs or BLM lands. Up to two per hunter.
				-	Nov 30-Jan 01	Valid on private lands and also valid on Prison Ranch ArchEquip only area. Up to two per hunter.
Deer B License: 213-20	Either-sex White-tailed Deer	OTC: Aug 10	UNL	-	Sep 05 -Jan 01	Up to two per hunter. Only valid on the Prison Ranch ArchEquip only area. Legal description and map available from FWP-R2 HQ 406-542-5500.
Elk						
General Elk License	Brow-tined Bull or Antlerless Elk	-	-	Sep 05-Oct 18	-	
	Brow-tined Bull Elk	-	-	-	Oct 24-Nov 29	
	Brow-tined Bull or Antlerless Elk	-	-	-	Oct 24-Nov 29	Only youth ages 12-15 and hunters with a PTHFV.
		-	-	-	Oct 24-Jan 01	Arch Equip Only. Only valid Prison Ranch ArchEquip only area.
Elk Permit: 213-00	Antlerless Elk	April 1	375	Sep 05-Oct 18	Oct 24-Nov 29	Holders 16 and older may not hunt antlered elk in HD 213.
Elk B License: 213-01	Antlerless Elk	June 1	350	-	Aug 15-Oct 23	Only valid on private lands, excluding Weyerhaeuser, Stimson, & Nature Conservancy lands.
				-	Oct 24-Nov 29	Valid on the above described private lands AND ALSO VALID on DNRC lands outside the National Forest boundary and FWP WMAs. Also valid on Montana State Prison Ranch in compliance with Prison Ranch access regulations
HD 214 - Mill Creek - Storm Lake Note: Boundary change						
Deer						
General Deer License	Antlerless Mule Deer	-	-	Sep 05-Oct 18	Oct 24-Nov 29	Only youth ages 10-15. Only valid outside National Forest boundary and NOT valid on FWP WMAs or BLM lands.
	Either-sex White-tailed Deer	-	-	Sep 05-Oct 18	Oct 24-Nov 01	
	Antlered Buck White-tailed Deer	-	-	-	Nov 02-Nov 29	
	Either-sex White-tailed Deer	-	-	-	Nov 02-Nov 29	Only youth ages 10-15.
Deer Permit: 214-50	Antlered Buck Mule Deer	April 1	UNL	Sep 05-Oct 18	Oct 24-Nov 29	One per hunter. Permit must be used with a valid General Deer License. Holders may not hunt Antlered Buck Mule Deer in any other HD.

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HD 214 - Mill Creek - Storm Lake - Continued Note: Boundary change						
Elk						
General Elk License	Brow-tined Bull Elk	-	-	Sep 05-Oct 18	Oct 24-Nov 29	
Elk Permit: 214-00	Antlerless Elk	April 1	1	Sep 05-Oct 18	Oct 24-Nov 29	Holders may not hunt antlered elk in HD 214.
HD 215 - East Deer Lodge NOTE: HD 215 Check Restricted Area Legal Description (p 26-27) Warm Springs WMA						
Deer						
General Deer License	Antlerless Mule Deer	-	-	Sep 05-Oct 18	Oct 24-Nov 29	Only youth ages 10-15. Only valid outside National Forest boundary and NOT valid on FWP WMAs or BLM lands.
	Either-sex White-tailed Deer	-	-	Sep 05-Oct 18	Oct 24-Nov 29	
Deer Permit: 215-50	Antlered Buck Mule Deer	April 1	UNL	Sep 05-Oct 18	Oct 24-Nov 29	One per hunter. Permit must be used with a General Deer License. Hunters may not hunt Antlered Buck Mule Deer in any other HD.
Deer B License: 215-00	Antlerless Mule Deer	June 1	75	Sep 05-Oct 18	Oct 24-Nov 29	Only valid outside the National Forest Boundary and Not valid on FWP WMAs or BLM lands.
Deer B License: 215-02	Antlerless White-tailed Deer	OTC: Aug 10	UNL	Sep 05-Oct 18	Oct 24-Nov 29	Valid outside the National Forest Boundary and NOT valid on FWP WMAs or BLM lands. One per hunter.
				-	Nov 30-Jan 01	Only valid on private lands outside the National Forest Boundary and NOT valid on FWP WMAs or BLM lands. One per hunter.
Elk						
General Elk License	Brow-tined Bull or Antlerless Elk	-	-	Sep 05-Oct 18	-	
	Brow-tined Bull Elk	-	-	-	Oct 24-Nov 29	
	Brow-tined Bull or Antlerless Elk			-	Oct 24-Nov 29	Only youth ages 12-15 and hunters with a PTHFV.
Elk Permit: 215-01	Antlerless Elk	April 1	250	Sep 05-Oct 18	Oct 24-Nov 29	Holders may not hunt antlered elk in HD 215.
Elk B License: 215-02	Antlerless Elk	June 1	400	-	Aug 15-Oct 23	Only valid on private lands and NOT VALID east of Brown's Gulch Creek.
				-	Oct 24-Nov 29	Only valid on private lands and DNRC lands outside the National Forest Boundary. NOT VALID east of Brown's Gulch Creek.
HD 216 - West Rock Creek-Quigg Peak						
Deer						
General Deer License	Antlered Buck Mule Deer	-	-	Sep 05-Oct 18	Oct 24-Nov 29	
	Either-sex White-tailed Deer	-	-	Sep 05-Oct 18	Oct 24-Nov 01	
	Antlered Buck White-tailed Deer	-	-	-	Nov 02-Nov 29	
	Either-sex White-tailed Deer	-	-	-	Nov 02-Nov 29	Only youth ages 10-15.
Deer B License: 216-00	Antlerless White-tailed Deer	June 1	25	Sep 05-Oct 18	Oct 24-Nov 29	
Deer B License: 216-01	Antlerless White-tailed Deer	OTC: Aug 10	UNL	Sep 01-Sep 14	Oct 24-Jan 01	Valid outside the National Forest Boundary and NOT valid on FWP WMAs or BLM lands. One per hunter.

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HD 216 - West Rock Creek-Quigg Peak - Continued						
Elk						
General Elk License	Brow-tined Bull or Antlerless Elk	-	-	Sep 05-Oct 18	-	
	Brow-tined Bull Elk	-	-	-	Oct 24-Nov 29	
	Brow-tined Bull or Antlerless Elk	-	-	-	Oct 24-Nov 29	Only youth ages 12-15 and hunters with a PTHFV.
Elk Permit: 210-03	Antlerless Elk	April 1	800	-	Aug 15-Oct 23	Valid on private lands in HDs 210, 211, 212, and 216. Holders 16 and older may not hunt antlered elk in valid HDs.
				-	Oct 24-Nov 29	Valid on the above described private lands AND ALSO VALID on DNRC lands outside the National Forest Service Boundary. Holders 16 and older may not hunt antlered elk in valid HDs.
Elk Permit: 216-00	Antlerless Elk	April 1	75	Sep 05-Oct 18	Oct 24-Nov 29	Holders 16 and older may not hunt antlered elk in HD 216.
HD 217 - Northwest Flint Range NOTE: Boundary change. Hunters required to report elk harvests to 1-877-FWP-WILD (1-877-397-9453)						
Deer						
General Deer License	Antlerless Mule Deer	-	-	Sep 05-Oct 18	Oct 24-Nov 29	Only youth ages 10-15. Only valid outside National Forest boundary and NOT valid on FWP WMAs or BLM lands.
	Either-sex White-tailed Deer	-	-	Sep 05-Oct 18	Oct 24-Nov 29	
Deer Permit: 217-50	Antlered Buck Mule Deer	April 1	UNL	Sep 05-Oct 18	Oct 24-Nov 29	One per hunter. Permit must be used with a valid General Deer License. Holders may not hunt Antlered Buck Mule Deer in any other HD.
Deer B License: 217-00	Antlerless Mule Deer	June 1	65	Sep 05-Oct 18	Oct 24-Nov 29	
Deer B License: 217-01	Antlerless White-tailed Deer	OTC: Aug 10	UNL	Sep 05-Oct 16	Oct 24-Jan 01	Valid outside the National Forest Boundary and NOT valid on FWP WMAs or BLM lands. Up to two per hunter.
Elk						
General Elk License	Antlerless Elk	-	-	-	Aug 15-Oct 23	Only youth ages 12-15 and hunters with a PTHFV. Only valid on private land.
				-	Aug 15-Nov 29	ArchEquip only.
				-	Oct 24-Nov 29	Only youth ages 12-15 and hunters with a PTHFV.
Elk Permit: 217-10	Brow-tined Bull or Antlerless Elk	April 1	175	Sep 05-Oct 18	Oct 24-Nov 29	Hunters required to report elk harvests to 1-877-FWP-WILD.
Elk Permit: 217-11	Brow-tined Bull or Antlerless Elk	April 1	25	Sep 05-Oct 18	Oct 24-Nov 29	Only youth ages 12-15. Hunters required to report elk harvests to 1-877-FWP-WILD.
Elk B License: 217-01	Antlerless Elk	June 1	160	Sep 05-Oct 18	Oct 24-Nov 29	Hunters required to report elk harvest to 1-877-FWP-WILD.
Elk B License: 217-02	Antlerless Elk	June 1	400	-	Aug 15-Nov 29	Valid on private land only. Hunters required to report elk harvest to 1-877-FWP-WILD.

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HD 240 - West Bitterroot						
Deer						
General Deer License	Either-sex White-tailed Deer	-	-	Sep 05-Oct 18	-	
	Antlered Buck White-tailed Deer	-	-	-	Oct 24-Nov 29	
	Either-sex White-tailed Deer	-	-	-	Oct 24-Nov 29	Only youth ages 10-15.
		-	-	-	Oct 24-Nov 29	Only valid in that portion of the district located south of Mormon Creek and outside the National Forest boundary.
Deer Permit: 240-50	Antlered Buck Mule Deer	April 1	25	-	Oct 01-Nov 29	Only valid inside wilderness boundary. Permit must be used with a valid General Deer License. Holders may not hunt Antlered Buck Mule Deer in any other HD.
Deer Permit: 240-51	Antlered Buck Mule Deer	April 1	UNL	Sep 05-Oct 18	Oct 24-Nov 15	One per hunter. Permit must be used with a valid General Deer License. Holders may not hunt Antlered Buck Mule Deer in any other HD.
Deer B License: 240-01	Antlerless Mule Deer	June 1	25	Sep 05-Oct 18	Oct 24-Nov 29	Only valid outside the National Forest Boundary.
Deer B License: 260-01	Antlerless White-tailed Deer	OTC: Aug 10	UNL	-	Sep 05-Jan 15	ArchEquip only. Hunters may purchase up to five 260-01 Antlerless White-tailed Deer B Licenses per hunter. Only valid in HDs 204, 240, 260, 261, 262, 270, and 283.
Deer B License: 299-00	Antlerless White-tailed Deer	OTC: Aug 10	UNL	Sep 05-Oct 18	Oct 24-Nov 29	One per hunter. Only valid on private land in HDs 204, 240, 261, and 270.
Elk						
General Elk License	Brow-tined Bull or Antlerless Elk	-	-	Sep 05-Oct 18	-	
	Antlerless Elk	-	-	-	Oct 24-Nov 01	Only valid outside the National Forest boundary.
	Brow-tined Bull Elk	-	-	-	Oct 24-Nov 29	
	Brow-tined Bull or Antlerless Elk	-	-	-	Oct 24-Nov 29	Only youth ages 12-15 and hunters with a PTHFV.
Elk B License: 240-01	Antlerless Elk	June 1	200	Sep 05-Oct 18	Oct 24-Nov 29	
				-	Nov 30-Jan 15	Only valid south of Mormon Creek and outside the National Forest boundary.
HD 250 - West Fork Bitterroot						
Deer						
General Deer License	Either-sex White-tailed Deer	-	-	Sep 05-Oct 18	-	
	Antlered Buck White-tailed Deer	-	-	-	Oct 24-Nov 29	
	Either-sex White-tailed Deer	-	-	-	Oct 24-Nov 29	Only youth ages 10-15.
Deer Permit: 250-50	Antlered Buck Mule Deer	April 1	25	Sep 05-Oct 18	Oct 24-Nov 29	Permit must be used with a valid General Deer License. Holders may not hunt Antlered Buck Mule Deer in any other HD.
Elk Hunting by Drawing Only						
Elk Permit: 250-45	Brow-tined Bull Elk	April 1	45	Sep 05-Oct 18	Oct 24-Nov 29	
Elk B License: 250-00	Antlerless Elk	June 1	10	Sep 05-Oct 18	Oct 24-Nov 29	

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HD 260 - Bitterroot-Clark Fork Archery District NOTE: HD 260 Check Restricted Area Legal Description (p 26-27) Lee Metcalf Refuge; Bitterroot-Clark Fork Archery District Portion of HD 260 NOTE: Mostly private land - Access is difficult.						
Deer						
General Deer License	Either-sex Mule Deer	-	-	-	Sep 05-Jan 15	ArchEquip only.
	Either-sex White-tailed Deer	-	-	-	Sep 05-Jan 15	ArchEquip only.
Deer B License: 260-01	Antlerless White-tailed Deer	OTC: Aug 10	UNL	-	Sep 05-Jan 15	ArchEquip only. Hunters may purchase up to five 260-01 Antlerless White-tailed Deer B Licenses per hunter. Only valid in HDs 204, 240, 260, 261, 262, 270, and 283.
Deer B License: 260-20	Either-sex White-tailed Deer	June 1	300	-	Sep 05-Jan 15	ArchEquip Only.
Elk						
General Elk License	Brow-tined Bull or Antlerless Elk	-	-	-	Sep 05-Jan 15	ArchEquip only. NOT valid on Lee Metcalf Refuge.
Elk B License: 201-01	Antlerless Elk	June 1	150	-	Aug 15-Sept 4	Only valid on private lands west of Hwy 93 in Missoula County. ArchEquip, shotgun, traditional handgun, muzzleloader, or crossbow only. Also valid on private lands in HD 201 as listed.
				-	Sep 05-Oct 23	Only valid on private lands west of Hwy 93 in Missoula County. ArchEquip Only. Also valid on private lands in HD 201 as listed.
				-	Oct 24-Jan 15	Only valid on private lands west of Hwy 93 in Missoula County. ArchEquip, shotgun, traditional handgun, muzzleloader, or crossbow only. Also valid on private lands in HD 201 as listed.
Elk B License: 262-01	Antlerless Elk	OTC: Aug 10	UNL	-	Sep 05-Jan 15	ArchEquip only. One per hunter. Only valid on private lands in hunting districts 204, 260, 261, 262, & 270. Must purchase before the start of the general rifle season.
HD 261 - East Bitterroot						
Deer						
General Deer License	Either-sex White-tailed Deer	-	-	Sep 05-Oct 18	Oct 24-Nov 01	
	Antlered Buck White-tailed Deer	-	-	-	Nov 02-Nov 29	
	Either-sex White-tailed Deer	-	-	-	Nov 02-Nov 29	Only youth ages 10-15.
Deer Permit: 261-50	Antlered Buck Mule Deer	April 1	15	Sep 05-Oct 18	Oct 24-Nov 29	Only valid in HD 261. Permit must be used with a valid General Deer License. Holders may not hunt Antlered Buck Mule Deer in any other HD.
Deer B License: 260-01	Antlerless White-tailed Deer	OTC: Aug 10	UNL	-	Sep 05-Jan 15	ArchEquip only. Hunters may purchase up to five 260-01 Antlerless White-tailed Deer B Licenses per hunter. Only valid in HDs 204, 240, 260, 261, 262, 270, and 283.
Deer B License: 261-01	Antlerless Mule Deer	June 1	35	Sep 05-Oct 18	Oct 24-Nov 29	Only valid outside the National Forest boundary and NOT valid on Calf Creek WMA.
Deer B License: 299-00	Antlerless White-tailed Deer	OTC: Aug 10	UNL	Sep 05-Oct 18	Oct 24-Nov 29	One per hunter. Only valid on private land in HDs 204, 240, 261, and 270.

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HD 261 - East Bitterroot - Continued						
Elk						
General Elk License	Brow-tined Bull or Antlerless Elk	-	-	Sep 05-Oct 18	-	
	Brow-tined Bull Elk	-	-	-	Oct 24-Nov 29	
	Brow-tined Bull or Antlerless Elk	-	-	-	Oct 24-Nov 29	Only youth ages 12-15 and hunters with a PTHFV.
Elk Permit: 261-00	Antlerless Elk	April 1	35	Sep 05-Oct 18	Oct 24-Nov 29	Holders may not hunt antlered elk in HD 261.
Elk B License: 262-01	Antlerless Elk	OTC: Aug 10	UNL	Sep 05-Oct 18	Oct 24-Nov 29	One per hunter. Only valid on private lands in HDs 204, 260, 261, 262, and 270. Must purchase before start of general rifle season.
HD 262 - Bitterroot Farmlands NOTE: Private land - access may be difficult.						
Deer						
General Deer License	Either-sex White-tailed Deer	-	-	Sep 05-Oct 18	Oct 24-Nov 29	
	Antlerless Mule Deer	-	-	-	Aug 15-Jan 01	ArchEquip only.
Deer Permit: 262-51	Antlered Buck Mule Deer	April 1	30	Sep 05-Oct 18	Oct 24-Nov 29	Permit must be used with a valid General Deer License. Holders may not hunt Antlered Buck Mule Deer in any other HD.
Deer Permit: 262-52	Antlered Buck Mule Deer	April 1	10	Sep 05-Oct 18	Oct 24-Nov 29	Only youth ages 12-15. Permit must be used with a valid General Deer License. Holders may not hunt Antlered Buck Mule Deer in any other HD.
Deer B License: 260-01	Antlerless White-tailed Deer	OTC: Aug 10	UNL	-	Sep 05-Jan 15	ArchEquip only. Hunters may purchase up to five 260-01 Antlerless White-tailed Deer B Licenses per hunter. Only valid in HDs 204, 240, 260, 261, 262, 270, and 283.
Deer B License: 262-00	Antlerless Mule Deer	June 1	300	-	Aug 15-Sep 04	ArchEquip, shotgun, traditional handgun,muzzleloader, or crossbow only.
				-	Sep 05-Oct 23	ArchEquip Only.
				-	Oct 24-Nov 29	
				-	Nov 30-Jan 01	ArchEquip, shotgun, traditional handgun, muzzleloader, or crossbow only.
Deer B License: 262-02	Antlerless White-tailed Deer	OTC: Aug 10	UNL	-	Aug 15-Sep 04 Oct 24-Jan 01	ArchEquip, shotgun, traditional handgun, muzzleloader, or crossbow only. Up to three 262-02 Antlerless White-tailed Deer B License per hunter.
Elk						
General Elk License	Antlerless Elk	-	-	-	Aug 15-Jan 15	ArchEquip only.
		-	-	-	Oct 24-Nov 29	Only youth ages 12-15 and hunters with a PTHFV.
	Brow-tined Bull Elk	-	-	-	Sep 05-Jan 15	ArchEquip only.
Elk B License: 262-01	Antlerless Elk	OTC: Aug 10	UNL	-	Aug 15-Sep 04	One per hunter. Only valid on private lands in HDs 204, 260, 261, 262, and 270. Must purchase before start of general rifle season.
				Sep 05-Oct 18	Oct 24-Jan 15	

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HD 270 - East Fork Bitterroot						
Deer						
General Deer License	Either-sex White-tailed Deer	-	-	Sep 05-Oct 18	-	
	Antlered Buck White-tailed Deer	-	-	-	Oct 24-Nov 29	
	Antlerless White-tailed Deer	-	-	-	Oct 24-Nov 01	Only valid on private land.
	Either-sex White-tailed Deer	-	-	-	Oct 24-Nov 29	Only youth ages 10-15.
Deer Permit: 270-50	Antlered Buck Mule Deer	April 1	45	Sep 05-Oct 18	Oct 24-Nov 29	Permit must be used with a valid General Deer License. Holders may not hunt Antlered Buck Mule Deer in any other HD.
Deer Permit: 270-51	Antlered Buck Mule Deer	April 1	15	Sep 05-Oct 18	Oct 24-Nov 29	Antlers must be 3 points or fewer on one side (not including eye guard). Mandatory check required. Successful applicants will be contacted by FWP staff.
Deer B License: 260-01	Antlerless White-tailed Deer	OTC: Aug 10	UNL	-	Sep 05-Jan 15	ArchEquip only. Hunters may purchase up to five 260-01 Antlerless White-tailed Deer B Licenses per hunter. Only valid in HDs 204, 240, 260, 261, 262, 270, and 283.
Deer B License: 270-01	Antlerless Mule Deer	June 1	50	Sep 05-Oct 18	Oct 24-Nov 29	
Deer B License: 299-00	Antlerless White-tailed Deer	OTC: Aug 10	UNL	Sep 05-Oct 18	Oct 24-Nov 29	One per hunter. Only valid on private land in HDs 204, 240, 261, and 270.
Elk						
General Elk License	Antlerless Elk	-	-	Sep 05-Oct 18	-	
	Antlerless Elk	-	-	-	Oct 24-Nov 29	Only youth ages 12-15 and hunters with a PTHFV. Only valid north of Rye Creek.
	Brow-tined Bull Elk	-	-	Sep 05-Oct 18	Oct 24-Nov 29	Only youth ages 12-15.
Elk Permit: 270-45	Brow-tined Bull Elk	April 1	UNL	Sep 05-Oct 18	Oct 24-Nov 29	One per hunter. 1st choice only.
Elk B License: 270-01	Antlerless Elk	June 1	100	Sep 05-Oct 18	Oct 24-Nov 29	Only valid north of Rye Creek.
Elk B License: 270-02	Antlerless Elk	June 1	300	Sep 05-Oct 18	Oct 24-Nov 29	Only valid in East Fork/West Highway 93 portion of HD 270.
Elk B License: 262-01	Antlerless Elk	OTC: Aug 10	UNL	Sep 05-Oct 18	Oct 24-Nov 29	One per hunter. Only valid on private lands north of Rye Creek. Valid in HDs 204, 260, 261, 262, and 270. Must purchase before start of general rifle season.
HD 280 - North Blackfoot NOTE: Backcountry - Remote location, access difficult.						
Deer						
General Deer License	Antlered Buck Mule Deer	-	-	Sep 05-Sep 14	Sep 15-Nov 29	
	Antlered Buck White-tailed Deer	-	-	Sep 05-Sep 14	Sep 15-Nov 29	
	Either-sex White-tailed Deer	-	-	-	Sep 15-Nov 29	Only youth ages 10-15.
Elk						
General Elk License	Brow-tined Bull or Antlerless Elk	-	-	Sep 05-Sep 14	Sep 26-Nov 29	
	Brow-tined Bull Elk	-	-	-	Sep 15-Sep 25	
	Brow-tined Bull or Antlerless Elk	-	-	-	Sep 15-Sep 25	Only youth ages 12-15.
HD 281 - Upper Blackfoot						
Deer						
General Deer License	Either-sex White-tailed Deer	-	-	Sep 05-Oct 18	-	
	Antlered Buck White-tailed Deer	-	-	-	Oct 24-Nov 29	
	Either-sex White-tailed Deer	-	-	-	Oct 24-Nov 29	Only youth ages 10-15.
Deer Permit: 281-50	Antlered Buck Mule Deer	April 1	UNL	Sep 05-Oct 18	Oct 24-Nov 29	One per hunter. Permit must be used with a valid General Deer License. Holders may not hunt Antlered Buck Mule Deer in any other HD.
Deer B License: 281-00	Antlerless White-tailed Deer	June 1	25	Sep 05-Oct 18	Oct 24-Nov 29	

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HD 281 - Upper Blackfoot - Continued						
Elk						
General Elk License	Brow-tined Bull or Antlerless Elk	-	-	Sep 05-Oct 18	-	
	Brow-tined Bull Elk	-	-	-	Oct 24-Nov 29	
	Brow-tined Bull or Antlerless Elk	-	-	-	Oct 24-Nov 29	Only youth ages 12-15.
Elk Permit: 281-01	Antlerless Elk	April 1	25	Sep 05-Oct 18	Oct 24-Nov 29	Permit must be used with a General Elk License. Holders may not hunt antlered elk in HD 281.
HD 282 - Blackfoot-Clearwater WMA						
Deer						
General Deer License	Antlered Buck Mule Deer	-	-	Sep 05-Oct 16	-	
	Antlered Buck White-tailed Deer	-	-	Sep 05-Oct 16	-	
	Antlered Buck Mule Deer	-	-	-	Oct 17-Oct 23	ONLY VALID FOR hunters who hold a 282-00 Deer B license.
		-	-	-	Oct 24-Nov 10	ONLY VALID FOR hunters who hold an Elk 282-00 B license or 282-10 Elk permit.
	Antlered Buck White-tailed Deer	-	-	-	Oct 17-Oct 23	ONLY VALID FOR hunters who hold a 282-00 Deer B license.
		-	-	-	Oct 24-Nov 10	ONLY VALID FOR hunters who hold an Elk 282-00 B license or 282-10 Elk permit.
Deer B License: 282-00	Antlerless White-tailed Deer	June 1	25	Sep 05-Oct 16	Oct 17-Oct 23	
Elk						
General Elk License	Brow-tined Bull or Antlerless Elk	-	-	Sep 05-Oct 16	-	
Elk Permit: 282-10	Brow-tined Bull or Antlerless Elk	April 1	1	Sep 05-Oct 16	Oct 24-Nov 10	Only youth ages 12-15.
Elk B License: 282-00	Antlerless Elk	June 1	25	Sep 05-Oct 16	Oct 24-Nov 10	
HD 283 - Lower Blackfoot						
Deer						
General Deer License	Antlered Buck Mule Deer	-	-	Sep 05-Oct 18	Oct 24-Nov 29	
	Either-sex White-tailed Deer	-	-	Sep 05-Oct 18	-	
	Antlered Buck White-tailed Deer	-	-	-	Oct 24-Nov 29	
	Either-sex White-tailed Deer	-	-	-	Oct 24-Nov 29	Only youth ages 10-15.
Deer B License: 260-01	Antlerless White-tailed Deer	OTC: Aug 10	UNL	-	Sep 05-Jan 15	ArchEquip only. Hunters may purchase up to five 260-01 Antlerless White-tailed Deer B Licenses per hunter. Only valid in HDs 204, 240, 260, 261, 262, 270, and 283.
Deer B License: 283-00	Antlerless White-tailed Deer	June 1	50	Sep 05-Oct 18	Oct 24-Nov 29	
Elk						
General Elk License	Brow-tined Bull or Antlerless Elk	-	-	Sep 05-Oct 18	-	
	Brow-tined Bull Elk	-	-	-	Oct 24-Nov 29	
HD 284 - Lincoln Archery District NOTE: HD 284 Check Restricted Area Legal Description (p 26-27) Lincoln Closed Area; Deer and Elk hunting is restricted to ArchEquip Only.						
Deer						
General Deer License	Antlered Buck Mule Deer	-	-	-	Sep 05-Nov 29	ArchEquip only.
	Antlered Buck White-tailed Deer	-	-	-	Sep 05-Nov 29	ArchEquip only.
Elk						
General Elk License	Brow-tined Bull or Antlerless Elk	-	-	-	Sep 05-Nov 29	ArchEquip only.

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HD 285 - Monture						
NOTE: HD 285 Check Restricted Area Legal Description (p 26-27) Seeley Lake Game Preserve is closed to all hunting						
Deer						
General Deer License	Antlered Buck Mule Deer	-	-	Sep 05-Oct 18	Oct 24-Nov 29	
	Either-sex White-tailed Deer	-	-	Sep 05-Oct 18	-	
	Antlered Buck White-tailed Deer	-	-	-	Oct 24-Nov 29	
	Either-sex White-tailed Deer	-	-	-	Oct 24-Nov 29	Only youth ages 10-15.
Deer B License: 285-00	Antlerless White-tailed Deer	June 1	35	Sep 05-Oct 18	Oct 24-Nov 29	
Elk						
General Elk License	Brow-tined Bull or Antlerless Elk	-	-	Sep 05-Oct 18	-	
	Brow-tined Bull Elk	-	-	-	Oct 24-Nov 29	
	Brow-tined Bull or Antlerless Elk	-	-	-	Oct 24-Nov 29	Only youth ages 12-15 and hunters with a PTHFV.
Elk B License: 285-01	Antlerless Elk	June 1	30	Sep 05-Oct 18	Oct 24-Nov 29	Only valid on private lands, excluding Weyerhaeuser, Stimson, & Nature Conservancy lands.
HD 290 - Helmville-Ovando Archery District						
NOTE: HD 290 Check Restricted Area Legal Description (p 26-27) Aunt Molly WMA restricted to ArchEquip Only for all big game hunting; East Ovando Archery Area restricted to ArchEquip Only for all big game hunting						
Deer						
General Deer License	Antlered Buck Mule Deer	-	-	-	Sep 05-Dec 15	ArchEquip only.
	Either-sex White-tailed Deer	-	-	-	Sep 05-Dec 15	ArchEquip only.
Deer B License: 290-00	Antlerless White-tailed Deer	OTC: Aug 10	UNL	-	Sep 05-Dec 15	ArchEquip only. Up to three OTC B Licenses per hunter.
Deer B License: 290-01	Antlerless White-tailed Deer	June 1	10	Sep 05-Oct 18	-	Only valid on private land.
				-	Oct 24-Nov 29	No weapons restriction. Firearms allowed. Only valid on private land.
Deer B License: 290-51	Antlered Buck Mule or Antlered Buck White-tailed Deer	June 1	50	-	Sep 05-Jan 01	ArchEquip only.
Elk						
General Elk License	Antlerless Elk	-	-	-	Oct 24-Nov 29	
	Brow-tined Bull or Antlerless Elk	-	-	-	Sep 05-Jan 01	ArchEquip Only.
Elk B License: 290-01	Antlerless Elk	June 1	300	Sep 05-Oct 18	Aug 15-Sep 4	Only valid on private lands, excluding Weyerhaeuser, Stimson, & Nature Conservancy lands. Valid in hunting districts 290 & 298.
					Oct 24-Jan 15	
HD 291 - East Garnet Range						
Deer						
General Deer License	Either-sex White-tailed Deer	-	-	Sep 05-Oct 18	Oct 24-Nov 01	
	Antlered Buck White-tailed Deer	-	-	-	Nov 02-Nov 29	
	Either-sex White-tailed Deer	-	-	-	Nov 02-Nov 29	Only youth ages 10-15.
Deer Permit: 291-50	Antlered Buck Mule Deer	April 1	30	Sep 05-Oct 18	Oct 24-Nov 29	Permit must be used with a valid General Deer License. Holders may not hunt Antlered Buck Mule Deer in any other HD.
Deer Permit: 291-51	Antlered Buck Mule Deer	April 1	30	Sep 05-Oct 18	Oct 24-Nov 29	Only youth ages 12-15. Permit must be used with a valid General Deer License. Holders may not hunt Antlered Buck Mule Deer in any other HD.
Deer B License: 291-00	Antlerless White-tailed Deer	June 1	50	Sep 05-Oct 18	Oct 24-Nov 29	
Deer B License: 291-01	Antlerless Mule Deer	June 1	25	Sep 05-Oct 18	Oct 24-Nov 29	Only valid on private land.

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HD 291 - East Garnet Range - Continued						
Elk						
General Elk License	Brow-tined Bull or Antlerless Elk	-	-	Sep 05-Oct 18	-	
	Brow-tined Bull Elk	-	-	-	Oct 24-Nov 29	
	Brow-tined Bull or Antlerless Elk	-	-	-	Oct 24-Nov 29	Only youth ages 12-15 and hunters with a PTHFV.
Elk Permit: 291-02	Antlerless Elk	April 1	50	Sep 05-Oct 18	Oct 24-Nov 29	Holders may not hunt antlered elk in HD 291.
Elk B License: 291-03	Antlerless Elk	June 1	350	-	Aug 15-Nov 29	Only valid on private lands.
HD 292 - West Garnet Range						
Deer						
General Deer License	Either-sex White-tailed Deer	-	-	Sep 05-Oct 18	-	
	Antlered Buck White-tailed Deer	-	-	-	Oct 24-Nov 29	
	Either-sex White-tailed Deer	-	-	-	Oct 24-Nov 29	Only youth ages 10-15.
Deer Permit: 292-50	Antlered Buck Mule Deer	April 1	UNL	Sep 05-Oct 18	Oct 24-Nov 29	One per hunter. Permit must be used with a valid General Deer License. Only valid in HDs 292 and 298. Holders may not hunt Antlered Buck Mule Deer in any other HD.
Deer B License: 292-00	Antlerless White-tailed Deer	June 1	100	Sep 05-Oct 18	Oct 24-Nov 29	Only valid on private land located within the Blackfoot watershed portion of the district.
Elk						
General Elk License	Brow-tined Bull or Antlerless Elk	-	-	Sep 05-Oct 18	-	
	Brow-tined Bull Elk	-	-	-	Oct 24-Nov 29	
	Brow-tined Bull or Antlerless Elk	-	-	-	Oct 24-Nov 29	Only youth ages 12-15 and hunters with a PTHFV.
Elk B License: 292-01	Antlerless Elk	June 1	100	-	Aug 15-Oct 18 Oct 24-Nov 29	Only valid on private lands, excluding Weyerhaeuser, Stimson, & Nature Conservancy lands that are within the Blackfoot watershed portion of HD 292.
HD 293 - South Lincoln-Nevada Creek						
Deer						
General Deer License	Antlered Buck Mule Deer	-	-	Sep 05-Oct 18	Oct 24-Nov 29	
	Either-sex White-tailed Deer	-	-	Sep 05-Oct 18	-	
	Antlered Buck White-tailed Deer	-	-	-	Oct 24-Nov 29	
	Either-sex White-tailed Deer	-	-	-	Oct 24-Nov 29	Only youth ages 10-15.
Deer B License: 293-00	Antlerless White-tailed Deer	June 1	25	Sep 05-Oct 18	Oct 24-Nov 29	
Elk						
General Elk License	Brow-tined Bull or Antlerless Elk	-	-	Sep 05-Oct 18	-	
	Brow-tined Bull Elk	-	-	-	Oct 24-Nov 29	
	Brow-tined Bull or Antlerless Elk	-	-	-	Oct 24-Nov 29	Only youth ages 12-15 and hunters with a PTHFV.
Elk Permit: 293-00	Antlerless Elk	April 1	25	Sep 05-Oct 18	Oct 24-Nov 29	Permit must be used with a General Elk License. Holders may not hunt antlered elk in HD 293.
Elk B License: 293-01	Antlerless Elk	June 1	150	-	Aug 15-Nov 29	Only valid on private lands, excluding The Nature Conservancy land in the portion of HD 293 south (see legal boundary description).

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HD 298 - Ovando-Helmville						
Deer						
General Deer License	Either-sex White-tailed Deer	-	-	Sep 05-Oct 18	Nov 21-Nov 29	
	Antlered Buck White-tailed Deer	-	-	-	Oct 24-Nov 20	
	Either-sex White-tailed Deer	-	-	-	Nov 02-Nov 29	Only youth ages 10-15.
Deer Permit: 292-50	Antlered Buck Mule Deer	April 1	UNL	Sep 05-Oct 18	Oct 24-Nov 29	One per hunter. Permit must be used with a valid General Deer License. Only valid in HDs 292 and 298. Holders may not hunt Antlered Buck Mule Deer in any other HD.
Elk						
General Elk License	Brow-tined Bull or Antlerless Elk	-	-	Sep 05-Oct 18	Oct 24-Nov 29	
Elk B License: 290-01	Antlerless Elk	June 1	300	-	Aug 15-Sept 4	Only valid on private lands in HD 290 & 298 excluding Weyerhaeuser, Stimson, & Nature Conservancy lands.
				Sep 05-Oct 18	Oct 24-Jan 15	
Region 3						
HD 300 - Lima Peaks-Nicholia						
Deer						
General Deer License	Antlerless Mule Deer	-	-	Sep 05-Oct 18	Oct 24-Nov 29	
	Either-sex White-tailed Deer	-	-	Sep 05-Oct 18	Oct 24-Nov 29	
Deer Permit: 300-50	Antlered Buck Mule Deer	April 1	30	Sep 05-Oct 18	Oct 24-Nov 29	Permit must be used with a valid General Deer License. Holders may not hunt Antlered Buck Mule Deer in any other HD.
Deer B License: 003-00	Antlerless White-tailed Deer	OTC: Aug 10	UNL	Sep 05-Oct 18	Oct 24-Nov 29	One per hunter. Valid in all Region 3 HDs except Canyon Ferry WMA and Lake Helena WMA.
Elk						
General Elk License	Brow-tined Bull or Antlerless Elk	-	-	Sep 05-Oct 18	Oct 24-Nov 29	
	Either-sex Elk	-	-	Sep 05-Oct 18	Oct 24-Nov 29	Only youth ages 12-15 and hunters with a PTHFV.
Elk B License: 399-00	Antlerless Elk	June 1	750	Sep 05-Oct 18	Oct 24-Nov 29	Only valid in HDs 300, 302, 320, 322, 323, 324, 325, 326, 327, 328, 329, 330, 331, and 332. Valid on Wall Crk WMA and adjacent land as posted.
HD 301 - Hyalite-Portal						
Deer						
General Deer License	Either-sex Mule Deer	-	-	Sep 05-Oct 18	-	
	Either-sex White-tailed Deer	-	-	Sep 05-Oct 18	Oct 24-Nov 29	
	Antlered Buck Mule Deer	-	-	-	Oct 24-Nov 29	
Deer B License: 003-00	Antlerless White-tailed Deer	OTC: Aug 10	UNL	Sep 05-Oct 18	Oct 24-Nov 29	One per hunter. Valid in all Region 3 HDs except Canyon Ferry WMA and Lake Helena WMA.
Elk						
General Elk License	Brow-tined Bull or Antlerless Elk	-	-	Sep 05-Oct 18	Oct 24-Nov 08	
	Either-sex Elk	-	-	Sep 05-Oct 18	Oct 24-Nov 29	Only youth ages 12-15 and hunters with a PTHFV.
	Brow-tined Bull Elk	-	-	-	Nov 09-Nov 29	
Elk B License: 301-01	Antlerless Elk	June 1	50	Sep 05-Oct 18	Oct 24-Nov 29	Valid on private land only. Access may be difficult.

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HD 302 - Tendoys						
Deer						
General Deer License	Either-sex Mule Deer	-	-	Sep 05-Oct 18	Oct 24-Nov 29	
	Either-sex White-tailed Deer	-	-	Sep 05-Oct 18	Oct 24-Nov 29	
Deer B License: 003-00	Antlerless White-tailed Deer	OTC: Aug 10	UNL	Sep 05-Oct 18	Oct 24-Nov 29	One per hunter. Valid in all Region 3 HDs except Canyon Ferry WMA and Lake Helena WMA.
Elk						
General Elk License	Brow-tined Bull or Antlerless Elk	-	-	Sep 05-Oct 18	Oct 24-Nov 29	
	Either-sex Elk	-	-	Sep 05-Oct 18	Oct 24-Nov 29	Only youth ages 12-15 and hunters with a PTHFV.
Elk B License: 399-00	Antlerless Elk	June 1	750	Sep 05-Oct 18	Oct 24-Nov 29	Only valid in HDs 300, 302, 320, 322, 323, 324, 325, 326, 327, 328, 329, 330, 331, and 332. Valid on Wall Crk WMA and adjacent land as posted.
HD 309 - Gallatin Valley Weapons Restriction Area NOTE: HD 309 Check Restricted Area Legal Description (p 26-27) Sourdough Exclusion Zone from within HD 309 NOTE: Deer and Elk hunting is restricted to ArchEquip, shotgun, traditional handgun, muzzleloader or crossbow only, EXCEPT on some private lands which are excluded from the weapons restrictions - Map available at FWP-R3 HQ 406-577-7900, in Bozeman.						
Deer						
General Deer License	Either-sex Mule Deer	-	-	-	Sep 05-Nov 29	
	Antlerless White-tailed Deer	-	-	-	Nov 30-Jan 15	
	Either-sex White-tailed Deer	-	-	-	Sep 05-Nov 29	
Deer B License: 398-00	Antlerless White-tailed Deer	OTC: Aug 10	UNL	-	Sep 05-Jan 15	One to five B licenses per hunter may be offered for purchase. Valid in HDs 309, 311, and 312. Access may be difficult.
Deer B License: 003-00	Antlerless White-tailed Deer	OTC: Aug 10	UNL	-	Sep 05-Jan 15	One per hunter. Valid in all Region 3 HDs except Canyon Ferry WMA and Lake Helena WMA.
Elk						
General Elk License	Antlerless Elk	-	-	-	Nov 30-Feb 15	
	Either-sex Elk	-	-	-	Sep 05-Nov 29	
Elk B License: 397-00	Antlerless Elk	OTC: Aug 10	UNL	-	Aug 15-Sep 04	One Per Hunter. Only valid on private land. Valid in HDs 309, 311 (North of HWY 84 only), and in HD 312.
				-	Sept 5-Nov 29	One Per Hunter. Not valid on National Forest Lands. Valid in HDs 309, 311 and in HD 312.
				-	Nov 30-Feb 15	One Per Hunter. Not valid on National Forest Lands. Valid in HDs 309, 311 (North of HWY 84 only), and in HD 312.
HD 310 - Upper Gallatin NOTE: HD 310 Check Restricted Area Legal Description (p 26-27) Gallatin Special Management Area closed to all deer and elk hunting except elk hunting by special permit only.						
Deer						
General Deer License	Either-sex Mule Deer	-	-	Sep 05-Oct 18	-	
	Either-sex White-tailed Deer	-	-	Sep 05-Oct 18	Oct 24-Nov 29	
	Antlered Buck Mule Deer	-	-	-	Oct 24-Nov 29	
Deer B License: 003-00	Antlerless White-tailed Deer	OTC: Aug 10	UNL	Sep 05-Oct 18	Oct 24-Nov 29	One per hunter. Valid in all Region 3 HDs except Canyon Ferry WMA and Lake Helena WMA.
Elk						
General Elk License	Brow-tined Bull Elk	-	-	Sep 05-Oct 18	Oct 24-Nov 29	Not valid on FWP and National Forest Lands in the Gallatin Special Management Area.
Elk Permit: 310-46	Brow-tined Bull Elk	April 1	5	Sep 05-Oct 18	Oct 24-Nov 29	Only valid on FWP and National Forest Lands in the Gallatin Special Management Area.

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HD 311 - Lower Gallatin						
Deer						
General Deer License	Either-sex Mule Deer	-	-	Sep 05-Oct 18	-	
	Either-sex White-tailed Deer	-	-	Sep 05-Oct 18	Oct 24-Nov 29	
	Antlered Buck Mule Deer	-	-	-	Oct 24-Nov 29	
Deer B License: 311-01	Antlerless Mule Deer	June 1	200	Sep 05-Oct 18	Oct 24-Nov 29	Only valid north of Highway 84.
Deer B License: 398-00	Antlerless White-tailed Deer	OTC: Aug 10	UNL	Sep 05-Oct 18	Oct 24-Nov 29	One to five B licenses per hunter may be offered for purchase. Valid in HDs 309, 311, and 312. Access may be difficult.
Deer B License: 003-00	Antlerless White-tailed Deer	OTC: Aug 10	UNL	Sep 05-Oct 18	Oct 24-Nov 29	One per hunter. Valid in all Region 3 HDs except Canyon Ferry WMA and Lake Helena WMA.
Elk						
General Elk License	Brow-tined Bull or Antlerless Elk	-	-	Sep 05-Oct 18	Oct 24-Nov 29	
	Either-sex Elk	-	-	Sep 05-Oct 18	Oct 24-Nov 29	Only youth ages 12-15 and hunters with a PTHFV.
	Antlerless Elk	-	-	-	Nov 30-Feb 15	Only valid north of Highway 84.
Elk B License: 397-00	Antlerless Elk	OTC: Aug 10	UNL	Sep 05-Oct 18	Oct 24-Nov 29	One Per Hunter. Not valid on National Forest Lands. Valid in HDs 309, 311 and in HD 312.
				-	Aug 15-Sep 04	One Per Hunter. Only valid on private land. Valid in HDs 309, 311 (North of HWY 84 only), and in HD 312.
				-	Nov 30-Feb 15	One Per Hunter. Not valid on National Forest Lands. Valid in HDs 309, 311 (North of HWY 84 only), and in HD 312.
HD 312 - West Bridger						
Deer						
General Deer License	Antlerless Mule Deer	-	-	Sep 05-Oct 18	-	Only valid east of Springhill/Rocky Mtn Rd.
	Either-sex Mule Deer	-	-	Sep 05-Oct 18	-	Only valid west of Springhill/Rocky Mtn Rd.
	Either-sex White-tailed Deer	-	-	Sep 05-Oct 18	Oct 24-Nov 29	
	Antlered Buck Mule Deer	-	-	-	Oct 24-Nov 29	Only valid west of Springhill/Rocky Mtn Rd.
Deer Permit: 312-50	Antlered Buck Mule Deer	April 1	75	Sep 05-Oct 18	Oct 24-Nov 29	Only valid east of Springhill/Rocky Mtn Rd. Permit must be used with a valid General Deer License. Holders may not hunt Antlered Buck Mule Deer in any other HD.
Deer B License: 312-01	Antlerless Mule Deer	June 1	50	Sep 05-Oct 18	Oct 24-Nov 29	
Deer B License: 398-00	Antlerless White-tailed Deer	OTC: Aug 10	UNL	Sep 05-Oct 18	Oct 24-Nov 29	One to five B licenses per hunter may be offered for purchase. Valid in HDs 309, 311, and 312. Access may be difficult.
Deer B License: 003-00	Antlerless White-tailed Deer	OTC: Aug 10	UNL	Sep 05-Oct 18	Oct 24-Nov 29	One per hunter. Valid in all Region 3 HDs except Canyon Ferry WMA and Lake Helena WMA.

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HD 312 - West Bridger - Continued						
Elk						
General Elk License	Brow-tined Bull or Antlerless Elk	-	-	Sep 05-Oct 18	Oct 24-Nov 29	
	Either-sex Elk	-	-	Sep 05-Oct 18	Oct 24-Nov 29	Only youth ages 12-15 and hunters with a PTHFV.
	Antlerless Elk	-	-	-	Nov 30-Feb 15	Not valid on National Forest Land.
Elk B License: 397-00	Antlerless Elk	OTC: Aug 10	UNL	Sep 05-Oct 18	Oct 24-Nov 29	One Per Hunter. Not valid on National Forest Land. Valid in HDs 309, 311 and in HD 312.
				-	Aug 15-Sep 04	One Per Hunter. Only valid on private land. Valid in HDs 309, 311 (North of HWY 84 only), and in HD 312.
				-	Nov 30-Feb 15	One Per Hunter. Not valid on National Forest Land. Valid in HDs 309, 311 (North of HWY 84 only), and in HD 312.
HD 313 - Gardiner						
NOTE: HD 313 Check Restricted Area Legal Description (p 26-27) Beattie Gulch: Subject to closure of all hunting with 24 hours notice; Deckard Flats to Trail Creek; Gardiner						
Deer						
General Deer License	Antlered Buck Mule Deer	-	-	Sep 05-Oct 18	Oct 24-Nov 15	
	Either-sex White-tailed Deer	-	-	Sep 05-Oct 18	Oct 24-Nov 29	
Deer B License: 313-01	Antlerless Mule Deer	June 1	100	Sep 05-Oct 18	Oct 24-Nov 29	
Deer B License: 003-00	Antlerless White-tailed Deer	OTC: Aug 10	UNL	Sep 05-Oct 18	Oct 24-Nov 29	One per hunter. Valid in all Region 3 HDs except Canyon Ferry WMA and Lake Helena WMA.
Elk						
General Elk License	Brow-tined Bull Elk	-	-	Sep 05-Oct 18	Oct 24-Nov 15	
Elk Permit: 313-00	Antlerless Elk	April 1	30	Sep 05-Oct 18	Oct 24-Nov 29	Only youth ages 12-15. Holders may not hunt antlered elk in HD 313.
Elk Permit: 313-01	Antlerless Elk	April 1	30	Sep 05-Oct 18	Oct 24-Nov 29	Holders may not hunt antlered elk in HD 313
Elk Permit: 313-45	Brow-tined Bull Elk	April 1	50	Sep 05-Oct 18	Nov 16-Nov 29	1st choice only.
Elk B License: 317-00	Antlerless Elk	June 1	300	Sep 05-Oct 18	Oct 24-Feb 15	Only valid on private lands in HD 317 and in the portion of HD 313 North of Dome Mountain WMA.
HD 314 - Upper Yellowstone West						
Deer						
General Deer License	Antlered Buck Mule Deer	-	-	Sep 05-Oct 18	Oct 24-Nov 29	
	Either-sex White-tailed Deer	-	-	Sep 05-Oct 18	Oct 24-Nov 29	
Deer B License: 314-01	Antlerless Mule Deer	June 1	100	Sep 05-Oct 18	Oct 24-Nov 29	
Deer B License: 317-00	Antlerless White-tailed Deer	OTC: Aug 10	UNL	Sep 05-Oct 18	Oct 24-Nov 29	One per hunter. Valid in HD 314 and 317 only.
Deer B License: 003-00	Antlerless White-tailed Deer	OTC: Aug 10	UNL	Sep 05-Oct 18	Oct 24-Nov 29	One per hunter. Valid in all Region 3 HDs except Canyon Ferry WMA and Lake Helena WMA.
Elk						
General Elk License	Brow-tined Bull or Antlerless Elk	-	-	Sep 05-Oct 18	-	
	Either-sex Elk	-	-	Sep 05-Oct 18	Oct 24-Nov 29	Only youth ages 12-15 and hunters with a PTHFV.
	Brow-tined Bull Elk	-	-	-	Oct 24-Nov 29	South of Big Creek
	Brow-tined Bull or Antlerless Elk	-	-	-	Oct 24-Nov 29	North of Big Creek
Elk B License: 314-00	Antlerless Elk	June 1	500	Sep 05-Oct 18	Oct 24-Nov 29	Only valid north of Big Creek.

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HD 315 - West Slope Crazy Mountains NOTE: HD 315 Check Restricted Area Legal Description (p 26-27) Yellowstone River Islands						
Deer						
General Deer License	Antlered Buck Mule Deer	-	-	Sep 05-Oct 18	Oct 24-Nov 29	
	Either-sex White-tailed Deer	-	-	Sep 05-Oct 18	Oct 24-Nov 29	
Deer B License: 315-01	Antlerless White-tailed Deer	June 1	250	Sep 05-Oct 18	Oct 24-Nov 29	
Deer B License: 315-02	Antlerless Mule Deer	June 1	70	Sep 05-Oct 18	Oct 24-Nov 29	Valid on private land only
Deer B License: 003-00	Antlerless White-tailed Deer	OTC: Aug 10	UNL	Sep 05-Oct 18	Oct 24-Nov 29	One per hunter. Valid in all Region 3 HDs except Canyon Ferry WMA and Lake Helena WMA.
Elk						
General Elk License	Brow-tined Bull or Antlerless Elk	-	-	Sep 05-Oct 18	Oct 24-Nov 29	
	Either-sex Elk	-	-	Sep 05-Oct 18	Oct 24-Nov 29	Only youth ages 12-15 and hunters with a PTHFV.
Elk B License: 315-01	Antlerless Elk	June 1	400	Sep 05-Oct 18	Oct 24-Nov 29	
HD 316 - Absaroka NOTE: Backcountry - Remote location, access difficult.						
Deer						
General Deer License	Antlered Buck Mule Deer	-	-	-	Sep 15-Nov 29	
	Antlered Buck White-tailed Deer	-	-	-	Sep 15-Nov 29	
Deer B License: 003-00	Antlerless White-tailed Deer	OTC: Aug 10	UNL	-	Oct 24-Nov 29	One per hunter. Valid in all Region 3 HDs except Canyon Ferry WMA and Lake Helena WMA.
Elk						
General Elk License	Antlered Bull Elk	-	-	-	Oct 24-Nov 29	
	Either-sex Elk	-	-	-	Sep 15-Oct 23	
		-	-	-	Oct 24-Nov 29	Only youth ages 12-15 and hunters with a PTHFV.
HD 317 - Upper Yellowstone East NOTE: HD 317 Check Restricted Area Legal Description (p 26-27) Yellowstone River Islands						
Deer						
General Deer License	Antlered Buck Mule Deer	-	-	Sep 05-Oct 18	Oct 24-Nov 29	
	Either-sex White-tailed Deer	-	-	Sep 05-Oct 18	Oct 24-Nov 29	
Deer B License: 317-00	Antlerless White-tailed Deer	OTC: Aug 10	UNL	Sep 05-Oct 18	Oct 24-Nov 29	One per hunter. Valid in HD 314 and 317 only.
Deer B License: 317-01	Antlerless Mule Deer	June 1	85	Sep 05-Oct 18	Oct 24-Nov 29	
Deer B License: 003-00	Antlerless White-tailed Deer	OTC: Aug 10	UNL	Sep 05-Oct 18	Oct 24-Nov 29	One per hunter. Valid in all Region 3 HDs except Canyon Ferry WMA and Lake Helena WMA.
Elk						
General Elk License	Brow-tined Bull or Antlerless Elk	-	-	Sep 05-Oct 18	Oct 24-Nov 29	
	Either-sex Elk	-	-	Sep 05-Oct 18	Oct 24-Nov 29	Only youth ages 12-15 and hunters with a PTHFV. .
Elk B License: 317-00	Antlerless Elk	June 1	300	Sep 05-Oct 18	Oct 24-Feb 15	Only valid on private lands in HD 317 and in the portion of HD 313 North of Dome Mountain WMA.
HD 318 - Butte-Basin						
Deer						
General Deer License	Either-sex Mule Deer	-	-	Sep 05-Oct 18	-	
	Either-sex White-tailed Deer	-	-	Sep 05-Oct 18	Oct 24-Nov 29	
	Antlered Buck Mule Deer	-	-	-	Oct 24-Nov 29	
Deer B License: 318-01	Antlerless Mule Deer	June 1	25	Sep 05-Oct 18	Oct 24-Nov 29	
Deer B License: 003-00	Antlerless White-tailed Deer	OTC: Aug 10	UNL	Sep 05-Oct 18	Oct 24-Nov 29	One per hunter. Valid in all Region 3 HDs except Canyon Ferry WMA and Lake Helena WMA.

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HD 318 - Butte-Basin - Continued						
Elk						
General Elk License	Brow-tined Bull or Antlerless Elk	-	-	Sep 05-Oct 18	-	
	Either-sex Elk	-	-	Sep 05-Oct 18	Oct 24-Nov 29	Only youth ages 12-15 and hunters with a PTHFV.
	Brow-tined Bull Elk	-	-	-	Oct 24-Nov 29	
Elk Permit: 394-00	Brow-tined Bull or Antlerless Elk	April 1	400	Sep 05-Oct 18	Oct 24-Nov 29	Valid in HDs 318 and 335.
HD 319 - Fleecer						
Deer						
General Deer License	Either-sex White-tailed Deer	-	-	Sep 05-Oct 18	Oct 24-Nov 29	
Deer Permit: 319-50	Antlered Buck Mule Deer	April 1	UNL	Sep 05-Oct 18	Oct 24-Nov 29	One per hunter. Permit must be used with a valid General Deer License. Holders may not hunt Antlered Buck Mule Deer in any other HD.
Deer B License: 319-01	Antlerless Mule Deer	June 1	40	Sep 05-Oct 18	Oct 24-Nov 29	
Deer B License: 003-00	Antlerless White-tailed Deer	OTC: Aug 10	UNL	Sep 05-Oct 18	Oct 24-Nov 29	One per hunter. Valid in all Region 3 HDs except Canyon Ferry WMA and Lake Helena WMA.
Elk						
General Elk License	Brow-tined Bull or Antlerless Elk	-	-	Sep 05-Oct 18	-	
	Either-sex Elk	-	-	Sep 05-Oct 18	Oct 24-Nov 29	Only youth ages 12-15 and hunters with a PTHFV.
	Brow-tined Bull Elk	-	-	-	Oct 24-Nov 29	
Elk B License: 319-00	Antlerless Elk	June 1	400	Sep 05-Oct 18	Oct 24-Nov 29	
HD 320 - South Tobacco Root Mountains NOTE: CWD has been found in or adjacent to HD 320. For more information about CWD, see page 4.						
Deer						
General Deer License	Either-sex Mule Deer	-	-	Sep 05-Oct 18	Oct 24-Nov 29	
	Either-sex White-tailed Deer	-	-	Sep 05-Oct 18	Oct 24-Nov 29	
Deer B License: 399-00	Antlerless White-tailed Deer	OTC: Aug 10	UNL	Sep 05-Oct 18	Oct 24-Nov 29	Per hunter license quota set annually. Valid in HDs 320, 322, 324, 325, 326, 330, 333, 340, and 360.
Deer B License: 003-00	Antlerless White-tailed Deer	OTC: Aug 10	UNL	Sep 05-Oct 18	Oct 24-Nov 29	One per hunter. Valid in all Region 3 HDs except Canyon Ferry WMA and Lake Helena WMA.
Elk						
General Elk License	Brow-tined Bull or Antlerless Elk	-	-	Sep 05-Oct 18	Oct 24-Nov 29	
	Either-sex Elk	-	-	Sep 05-Oct 18	Oct 24-Nov 29	Only youth ages 12-15 and hunters with a PTHFV.
Elk B License: 399-00	Antlerless Elk	June 1	750	Sep 05-Oct 18	Oct 24-Nov 29	Only valid in HDs 300, 302, 320, 322, 323, 324, 325, 326, 327, 328, 329, 330, 331, and 332. Valid on Wall Crk WMA and adjacent land as posted.
HD 321 - West Big Hole						
Deer						
General Deer License	Either-sex Mule Deer	-	-	Sep 05-Oct 18	-	
	Either-sex White-tailed Deer	-	-	Sep 05-Oct 18	Oct 24-Nov 29	
	Antlered Buck Mule Deer	-	-	-	Oct 24-Nov 29	
Deer B License: 321-01	Antlerless Mule Deer	June 1	10	Sep 05-Oct 18	Oct 24-Nov 29	
Deer B License: 003-00	Antlerless White-tailed Deer	OTC: Aug 10	UNL	Sep 05-Oct 18	Oct 24-Nov 29	One per hunter. Valid in all Region 3 HDs except Canyon Ferry WMA and Lake Helena WMA.

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License or Permit	Opportunity	Apply by Date	Quota	Archery Season Dates	Season Dates	Opportunity Specific Details and/or Restrictions
HD 321 - West Big Hole - Continued						
Elk						
General Elk License	Brow-tined Bull or Antlerless Elk	-	-	Sep 05-Oct 18	Oct 24-Nov 29	
	Either-sex Elk	-	-	Sep 05-Oct 18	Oct 24-Nov 29	Only youth ages 12-15 and hunters with a PTHFV.
Elk B License: 321-00	Antlerless Elk	June 1	200	Sep 05-Oct 18	Oct 24-Nov 29	Valid in HD 321 and in north portion of HD 329 from Big Hole Pass along the Big Hole Divide, west of USFS Road 919 and north of Eunice Creek.
HD 322 - Lower Ruby NOTE: CWD has been found in or adjacent to HD 322. For more information about CWD, see page 4.						
Deer						
General Deer License	Either-sex Mule Deer	-	-	Sep 05-Oct 18	Oct 24-Nov 29	
	Either-sex White-tailed Deer	-	-	Sep 05-Oct 18	Oct 24-Nov 29	
Deer B License: 399-00	Antlerless White-tailed Deer	OTC: Aug 10	UNL	Sep 05-Oct 18	Oct 24-Nov 29	Per hunter license quota set annually. Valid in HDs 320, 322, 324, 325, 326, 330, 333, 340, and 360.
Deer B License: 003-00	Antlerless White-tailed Deer	OTC: Aug 10	UNL	Sep 05-Oct 18	Oct 24-Nov 29	One per hunter. Valid in all Region 3 HDs except Canyon Ferry WMA and Lake Helena WMA.
Elk						
General Elk License	Brow-tined Bull or Antlerless Elk	-	-	Sep 05-Oct 18	Oct 24-Nov 29	
	Either-sex Elk	-	-	Sep 05-Oct 18	Oct 24-Nov 29	Only youth ages 12-15 and hunters with a PTHFV.
Elk B License: 399-00	Antlerless Elk	June 1	750	Sep 05-Oct 18	Oct 24-Nov 29	Only valid in HDs 300, 302, 320, 322, 323, 324, 325, 326, 327, 328, 329, 330, 331, and 332. Valid on Wall Crk WMA and adjacent land as posted.
HD 323 - Wall Creek NOTE: HD 323 Check Restricted Area Legal Description (p 26-27) Wall Creek WMA and adjacent land as posted						
Deer						
General Deer License	Either-sex Mule Deer	-	-	Sep 05-Oct 18	-	
	Either-sex White-tailed Deer	-	-	Sep 05-Oct 18	Oct 24-Nov 29	
	Antlered Buck Mule Deer	-	-	-	Oct 24-Nov 29	
Deer B License: 003-00	Antlerless White-tailed Deer	OTC: Aug 10	UNL	Sep 05-Oct 18	Oct 24-Nov 29	One per hunter. Valid in all Region 3 HDs except Canyon Ferry WMA and Lake Helena WMA.
Elk						
General Elk License	Brow-tined Bull or Antlerless Elk	-	-	Sep 05-Oct 18	-	
	Either-sex Elk	-	-	Sep 05-Oct 18	Oct 24-Nov 29	Only youth ages 12-15 and hunters with a PTHFV.
	Brow-tined Bull or Antlerless Elk	-	-	-	Oct 24-Nov 29	Not valid on Wall Creek WMA and adjacent lands as posted. Map of Wall Creek WMA and adjacent public lands available from FWP-R3 HQ 406-577-7900, in Bozeman.
Elk B License: 399-00	Antlerless Elk	June 1	750	Sep 05-Oct 18	Oct 24-Nov 29	Only valid in HDs 300, 302, 320, 322, 323, 324, 325, 326, 327, 328, 329, 330, 331, and 332. Valid on Wall Crk WMA and adjacent land as posted.

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License or Permit	Opportunity	Apply by Date	Quota	Archery Season Dates	Season Dates	Opportunity Specific Details and/or Restrictions
HD 324 - Snowcrest-Lower Ruby						
Deer						
General Deer License	Antlerless Mule Deer	-	-	Sep 05-Oct 18	-	
	Either-sex White-tailed Deer	-	-	Sep 05-Oct 18	Oct 24-Nov 29	
Deer Permit: 324-50	Antlered Buck Mule Deer	April 1	25	Sep 05-Oct 18	Oct 24-Nov 29	Permit must be used with a valid General Deer License. Holders may not hunt Antlered Buck Mule Deer in any other HD.
Deer B License: 399-00	Antlerless White-tailed Deer	OTC: Aug 10	UNL	Sep 05-Oct 18	Oct 24-Nov 29	Per hunter license quota set annually. Valid in HDs 320, 322, 324, 325, 326, 330, 333, 340, and 360.
Deer B License: 003-00	Antlerless White-tailed Deer	OTC: Aug 10	UNL	Sep 05-Oct 18	Oct 24-Nov 29	One per hunter. Valid in all Region 3 HDs except Canyon Ferry WMA and Lake Helena WMA.
Elk						
General Elk License	Brow-tined Bull or Antlerless Elk	-	-	Sep 05-Oct 18	Oct 24-Nov 29	
	Either-sex Elk	-	-	Sep 05-Oct 18	Oct 24-Nov 29	Only youth ages 12-15 and hunters with a PTHFV.
Elk B License: 399-00	Antlerless Elk	June 1	750	Sep 05-Oct 18	Oct 24-Nov 29	Only valid in HDs 300, 302, 320, 322, 323, 324, 325, 326, 327, 328, 329, 330, 331, and 332. Valid on Wall Crk WMA and adjacent land as posted.
HD 325 - Blacktail Ridge-Sage Creek NOTE: HD 325 Check Restricted Area Legal Description (p 26-27) Poindexter Slough FAS south of Dillon, restricted to ArchEquip, shotgun, traditional handgun, muzzleloader or crossbow only						
Deer						
General Deer License	Either-sex Mule Deer	-	-	Sep 05-Oct 18	Oct 24-Nov 29	
	Either-sex White-tailed Deer	-	-	Sep 05-Oct 18	Oct 24-Nov 29	
Deer B License: 399-00	Antlerless White-tailed Deer	OTC: Aug 10	UNL	Sep 05-Oct 18	Oct 24-Nov 29	Per hunter license quota set annually. Valid in HDs 320, 322, 324, 325, 326, 330, 333, 340, and 360.
Deer B License: 003-00	Antlerless White-tailed Deer	OTC: Aug 10	UNL	Sep 05-Oct 18	Oct 24-Nov 29	One per hunter. Valid in all Region 3 HDs except Canyon Ferry WMA and Lake Helena WMA.
Elk						
General Elk License	Brow-tined Bull or Antlerless Elk	-	-	Sep 05-Oct 18	Oct 24-Nov 29	
	Either-sex Elk	-	-	Sep 05-Oct 18	Oct 24-Nov 29	Only youth ages 12-15 and hunters with a PTHFV.
Elk B License: 399-00	Antlerless Elk	June 1	750	Sep 05-Oct 18	Oct 24-Nov 29	Only valid in HDs 300, 302, 320, 322, 323, 324, 325, 326, 327, 328, 329, 330, 331, and 332. Valid on Wall Crk WMA and adjacent land as posted.
HD 326 - Sweetwater						
Deer						
General Deer License	Either-sex Mule Deer	-	-	Sep 05-Oct 18	Oct 24-Nov 29	
	Either-sex White-tailed Deer	-	-	Sep 05-Oct 18	Oct 24-Nov 29	
Deer B License: 399-00	Antlerless White-tailed Deer	OTC: Aug 10	UNL	Sep 05-Oct 18	Oct 24-Nov 29	Per hunter license quota set annually. Valid in HDs 320, 322, 324, 325, 326, 330, 333, 340, and 360.
Deer B License: 003-00	Antlerless White-tailed Deer	OTC: Aug 10	UNL	Sep 05-Oct 18	Oct 24-Nov 29	One per hunter. Valid in all Region 3 HDs except Canyon Ferry WMA and Lake Helena WMA.
Elk						
General Elk License	Brow-tined Bull or Antlerless Elk	-	-	Sep 05-Oct 18	Oct 24-Nov 29	
	Either-sex Elk	-	-	Sep 05-Oct 18	Oct 24-Nov 29	Only youth ages 12-15 and hunters with a PTHFV.
Elk B License: 399-00	Antlerless Elk	June 1	750	Sep 05-Oct 18	Oct 24-Nov 29	Only valid in HDs 300, 302, 320, 322, 323, 324, 325, 326, 327, 328, 329, 330, 331, and 332. Valid on Wall Crk WMA and adjacent land as posted.

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HD 327 - West Fork Madison-Centennial						
Deer						
General Deer License	Either-sex Mule Deer	-	-	Sep 05-Oct 18	-	
	Either-sex White-tailed Deer	-	-	Sep 05-Oct 18	Oct 24-Nov 29	
	Antlered Buck Mule Deer	-	-	-	Oct 24-Nov 29	
Deer B License: 003-00	Antlerless White-tailed Deer	OTC: Aug 10	UNL	Sep 05-Oct 18	Oct 24-Nov 29	One per hunter. Valid in all Region 3 HDs except Canyon Ferry WMA and Lake Helena WMA.
Elk						
General Elk License	Brow-tined Bull or Antlerless Elk	-	-	Sep 05-Oct 18	Oct 24-Nov 29	
	Either-sex Elk	-	-	Sep 05-Oct 18	Oct 24-Nov 29	Only youth ages 12-15 and hunters with a PTHFV.
Elk B License: 399-00	Antlerless Elk	June 1	750	Sep 05-Oct 18	Oct 24-Nov 29	Only valid in HDs 300, 302, 320, 322, 323, 324, 325, 326, 327, 328, 329, 330, 331, and 332. Valid on Wall Crk WMA and adjacent land as posted.
HD 328 - Medicine Lodge-Horse Prairie						
Deer						
General Deer License	Either-sex Mule Deer	-	-	Sep 05-Oct 18	Oct 24-Nov 29	
	Either-sex White-tailed Deer	-	-	Sep 05-Oct 18	Oct 24-Nov 29	
Deer B License: 003-00	Antlerless White-tailed Deer	OTC: Aug 10	UNL	Sep 05-Oct 18	Oct 24-Nov 29	One per hunter. Valid in all Region 3 HDs except Canyon Ferry WMA and Lake Helena WMA.
Elk						
General Elk License	Brow-tined Bull or Antlerless Elk	-	-	Sep 05-Oct 18	Oct 24-Nov 29	
	Either-sex Elk	-	-	Sep 05-Oct 18	Oct 24-Nov 29	Only youth ages 12-15 and hunters with a PTHFV.
Elk B License: 399-00	Antlerless Elk	June 1	750	Sep 05-Oct 18	Oct 24-Nov 29	Only valid in HDs 300, 302, 320, 322, 323, 324, 325, 326, 327, 328, 329, 330, 331, and 332. Valid on Wall Crk WMA and adjacent land as posted.
HD 329 - Horse Prairie-Bannack						
Deer						
General Deer License	Either-sex Mule Deer	-	-	Sep 05-Oct 18	Oct 24-Nov 29	
	Either-sex White-tailed Deer	-	-	Sep 05-Oct 18	Oct 24-Nov 29	
Deer B License: 003-00	Antlerless White-tailed Deer	OTC: Aug 10	UNL	Sep 05-Oct 18	Oct 24-Nov 29	One per hunter. Valid in all Region 3 HDs except Canyon Ferry WMA and Lake Helena WMA.
Elk						
General Elk License	Brow-tined Bull or Antlerless Elk	-	-	Sep 05-Oct 18	Oct 24-Nov 29	
	Either-sex Elk	-	-	Sep 05-Oct 18	Oct 24-Nov 29	Only youth ages 12-15 and hunters with a PTHFV.
Elk B License: 321-00	Antlerless Elk	June 1	200	Sep 05-Oct 18	Oct 24-Nov 29	Valid in HD 321 and in north portion of HD 329 from Big Hole Pass along the Big Hole Divide, west of USFS Road 919 and north of Eunice Creek.
Elk B License: 399-00	Antlerless Elk	June 1	750	Sep 05-Oct 18	Oct 24-Nov 29	Only valid in HDs 300, 302, 320, 322, 323, 324, 325, 326, 327, 328, 329, 330, 331, and 332. Valid on Wall Crk WMA and adjacent land as posted.

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HD 330 - Greenhorn Range						
Deer						
General Deer License	Either-sex Mule Deer	-	-	Sep 05-Oct 18	Oct 24-Nov 29	
	Either-sex White-tailed Deer	-	-	Sep 05-Oct 18	Oct 24-Nov 29	
Deer B License: 399-00	Antlerless White-tailed Deer	OTC: Aug 10	UNL	Sep 05-Oct 18	Oct 24-Nov 29	Per hunter license quota set annually. Valid in HDs 320, 322, 324, 325, 326, 330, 333, 340, and 360.
Deer B License: 003-00	Antlerless White-tailed Deer	OTC: Aug 10	UNL	Sep 05-Oct 18	Oct 24-Nov 29	One per hunter. Valid in all Region 3 HDs except Canyon Ferry WMA and Lake Helena WMA.
Elk						
General Elk License	Brow-tined Bull or Antlerless Elk	-	-	Sep 05-Oct 18	Oct 24-Nov 29	
	Either-sex Elk	-	-	Sep 05-Oct 18	Oct 24-Nov 29	Only youth ages 12-15 and hunters with a PTHFV.
Elk B License: 399-00	Antlerless Elk	June 1	750	Sep 05-Oct 18	Oct 24-Nov 29	Only valid in HDs 300, 302, 320, 322, 323, 324, 325, 326, 327, 328, 329, 330, 331, and 332. Valid on Wall Crk WMA and adjacent land as posted.
HD 331 - Pioneer Mountains						
NOTE: HD 331 Check Restricted Area Legal Description (p 26-27) Poindexter Slough FAS south of Dillon, restricted to ArchEquip, shotgun, traditional handgun, muzzleloader or crossbow only.						
Deer						
General Deer License	Either-sex Mule Deer	-	-	Sep 05-Oct 18	Oct 24-Nov 29	
	Either-sex White-tailed Deer	-	-	Sep 05-Oct 18	Oct 24-Nov 29	
Deer B License: 331-01	Antlerless White-tailed Deer	June 1	25	Sep 05-Oct 18	Oct 24-Nov 29	
Deer B License: 003-00	Antlerless White-tailed Deer	OTC: Aug 10	UNL	Sep 05-Oct 18	Oct 24-Nov 29	One per hunter. Valid in all Region 3 HDs except Canyon Ferry WMA and Lake Helena WMA.
Elk						
General Elk License	Brow-tined Bull or Antlerless Elk	-	-	Sep 05-Oct 18	Oct 24-Nov 8	
	Brow-tined Bull	-	-	-	Nov 9-Nov 29	
	Either-sex Elk	-	-	Sep 05-Oct 18	Oct 24-Nov 29	Only youth ages 12-15 and hunters with a PTHFV.
Elk B License: 399-00	Antlerless Elk	June 1	750	Sep 05-Oct 18	Oct 24-Nov 29	Only valid in HDs 300, 302, 320, 322, 323, 324, 325, 326, 327, 328, 329, 330, 331, and 332. Valid on Wall Crk WMA and adjacent land as posted.
HD 332 - East Big Hole						
Deer						
General Deer License	Either-sex Mule Deer	-	-	Sep 05-Oct 18	-	
	Either-sex White-tailed Deer	-	-	Sep 05-Oct 18	Oct 24-Nov 29	
	Antlered Buck Mule Deer	-	-	-	Oct 24-Nov 29	
Deer B License: 003-00	Antlerless White-tailed Deer	OTC: Aug 10	UNL	Sep 05-Oct 18	Oct 24-Nov 29	One per hunter. Valid in all Region 3 HDs except Canyon Ferry WMA and Lake Helena WMA.
Elk						
General Elk License	Brow-tined Bull or Antlerless Elk	-	-	Sep 05-Oct 18	Oct 24-Nov 8	
	Brow-tined Bull				Nov 9 -Nov 29	
	Either-sex Elk	-	-	Sep 05-Oct 18	Oct 24-Nov 29	Only youth ages 12-15 and hunters with a PTHFV.
Elk B License: 399-00	Antlerless Elk	June 1	750	Sep 05-Oct 18	Oct 24-Nov 29	Only valid in HDs 300, 302, 320, 322, 323, 324, 325, 326, 327, 328, 329, 330, 331, and 332. Valid on Wall Crk WMA and adjacent land as posted.

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HD 333 - North Tobacco Root Mountains						
Deer						
General Deer License	Either-sex Mule Deer	-	-	Sep 05-Oct 18	Oct 24-Nov 29	
	Either-sex White-tailed Deer	-	-	Sep 05-Oct 18	Oct 24-Nov 29	
Deer B License: 399-00	Antlerless White-tailed Deer	OTC: Aug 10	UNL	Sep 05-Oct 18	Oct 24-Nov 29	Per hunter license quota set annually. Valid in HDs 320, 322, 324, 325, 326, 330, 333, 340, and 360.
Deer B License: 003-00	Antlerless White-tailed Deer	OTC: Aug 10	UNL	Sep 05-Oct 18	Oct 24-Nov 29	One per hunter. Valid in all Region 3 HDs except Canyon Ferry WMA and Lake Helena WMA.
Elk						
General Elk License	Brow-tined Bull or Antlerless Elk	-	-	Sep 05-Oct 18	-	
	Either-sex Elk	-	-	Sep 05-Oct 18	Oct 24-Nov 29	Only youth ages 12-15 and hunters with a PTHFV.
	Brow-tined Bull or Antlerless Elk	-	-	-	Oct 24-Nov 29	
Elk B License: 333-01	Antlerless Elk	June 1	500	Sep 05-Oct 18	Oct 24-Nov 29	Not valid on National Forest lands.
HD 334 - Mussigbrod						
Deer						
General Deer License	Either-sex Mule Deer	-	-	Sep 05-Oct 18	-	
	Either-sex White-tailed Deer	-	-	Sep 05-Oct 18	Oct 24-Nov 29	
	Antlered Buck Mule Deer	-	-	-	Oct 24-Nov 29	
Deer B License: 334-01	Antlerless Mule Deer	June 1	10	Sep 05-Oct 18	Oct 24-Nov 29	
Deer B License: 003-00	Antlerless White-tailed Deer	OTC: Aug 10	UNL	Sep 05-Oct 18	Oct 24-Nov 29	One per hunter. Valid in all Region 3 HDs except Canyon Ferry WMA and Lake Helena WMA.
Elk						
General Elk License	Brow-tined Bull or Antlerless Elk	-	-	Sep 05-Oct 18	-	
	Either-sex Elk	-	-	Sep 05-Oct 18	Oct 24-Nov 29	Only youth ages 12-15 and hunters with a PTHFV.
	Brow-tined Bull Elk	-	-	-	Oct 24-Nov 29	
Elk B License: 334-00	Antlerless Elk	June 1	350	Sep 05-Oct 18	Oct 24-Nov 29	
HD 335 - Helena-South						
Deer						
General Deer License	Either-sex Mule Deer	-	-	Sep 05-Oct 18	-	
	Either-sex White-tailed Deer	-	-	Sep 05-Oct 18	Oct 24-Nov 29	
	Antlered Buck Mule Deer	-	-	-	Oct 24-Nov 29	
Deer B License: 335-01	Antlerless Mule Deer	June 1	25	Sep 05-Oct 18	Oct 24-Nov 29	
Deer B License: 003-00	Antlerless White-tailed Deer	OTC: Aug 10	UNL	Sep 05-Oct 18	Oct 24-Nov 29	One per hunter. Valid in all Region 3 HDs except Canyon Ferry WMA and Lake Helena WMA.
Elk						
General Elk License	Brow-tined Bull or Antlerless Elk	-	-	Sep 05-Oct 18	-	
	Either-sex Elk	-	-	Sep 05-Oct 18	Oct 24-Nov 29	Only youth ages 12-15 and hunters with a PTHFV.
	Brow-tined Bull Elk	-	-	-	Oct 24-Nov 29	
Elk Permit: 394-00	Brow-tined Bull or Antlerless Elk	April 1	400	Sep 05-Oct 18	Oct 24-Nov 29	Valid in HDs 318 and 335.

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HD 339 - Sieben-Sleeping Giant NOTE: HD 339 Check Restricted Area Legal Description (p 26-27) Gates of the Mountains Game Preserve						
Deer						
General Deer License	Either-sex Mule Deer	-	-	Sep 05-Oct 18	-	
	Either-sex White-tailed Deer	-	-	Sep 05-Oct 18	Oct 24-Nov 29	
	Antlered Buck Mule Deer	-	-	-	Oct 24-Nov 29	
Deer B License: 339-01	Antlerless Mule Deer	June 1	25	Sep 05-Oct 18	Oct 24-Nov 29	
Deer B License: 003-00	Antlerless White-tailed Deer	OTC: Aug 10	UNL	Sep 05-Oct 18	Oct 24-Nov 29	One per hunter. Valid in all Region 3 HDs except Canyon Ferry WMA and Lake Helena WMA.
Elk						
General Elk License	Spike Bull or Antlerless Elk	-	-	Sep 05-Oct 18	-	
	Spike Bull Elk	-	-	-	Oct 24-Nov 29	
	Spike Bull or Antlerless Elk	-	-	-	Oct 24-Nov 29	Only youth ages 12-15 and hunters with a PTHFV.
Elk Permit: 339-20	Either-sex Elk	April 1	40	Sep 05-Oct 18	Oct 24-Nov 29	
Elk Permit: 396-00	Spike Bull or Antlerless Elk	April 1	600	Sep 05-Oct 18	Oct 24-Nov 29	Valid in HDs 339 and 343. Also valid for Browtined Bull in HD 343.
HD 340 - Highlands NOTE: CWD has been found in or adjacent to HD 340. For more information about CWD, see page 4.						
Deer						
General Deer License	Either-sex Mule Deer	-	-	Sep 05-Oct 18	Oct 24-Nov 29	
	Either-sex White-tailed Deer	-	-	Sep 05-Oct 18	Oct 24-Nov 29	
Deer B License: 399-00	Antlerless White-tailed Deer	OTC: Aug 10	UNL	Sep 05-Oct 18	Oct 24-Nov 29	Per hunter license quota set annually. Valid in HDs 320, 322, 324, 325, 326, 330, 333, 340, and 360.
Deer B License: 003-00	Antlerless White-tailed Deer	OTC: Aug 10	UNL	Sep 05-Oct 18	Oct 24-Nov 29	One per hunter. Valid in all Region 3 HDs except Canyon Ferry WMA and Lake Helena WMA.
Elk						
General Elk License	Brow-tined Bull or Antlerless Elk	-	-	Sep 05-Oct 18	Oct 24-Nov 08	
	Either-sex Elk	-	-	Sep 05-Oct 18	Oct 24-Nov 29	Only youth ages 12-15 and hunters with a PTHFV.
	Brow-tined Bull Elk	-	-	-	Nov 09-Nov 29	
Elk Permit: 340-10	Brow-tined Bull or Antlerless Elk	April 1	250	Sep 05-Oct 18	Oct 24-Nov 29	
HD 341 - High Rye						
Deer						
General Deer License	Either-sex Mule Deer	-	-	Sep 05-Oct 18	-	
	Either-sex White-tailed Deer	-	-	Sep 05-Oct 18	Oct 24-Nov 29	
	Antlered Buck Mule Deer	-	-	-	Oct 24-Nov 29	
Deer B License: 341-01	Antlerless Mule Deer	June 1	70	Sep 05-Oct 18	Oct 24-Nov 29	
Deer B License: 003-00	Antlerless White-tailed Deer	OTC: Aug 10	UNL	Sep 05-Oct 18	Oct 24-Nov 29	One per hunter. Valid in all Region 3 HDs except Canyon Ferry WMA and Lake Helena WMA.
Elk						
General Elk License	Brow-tined Bull or Antlerless Elk	-	-	Sep 05-Oct 18	-	
	Either-sex Elk	-	-	Sep 05-Oct 18	Oct 24-Nov 29	Only youth ages 12-15 and hunters with a PTHFV.
	Brow-tined Bull Elk	-	-	-	Oct 24-Nov 29	
Elk B License: 341-00	Antlerless Elk	June 1	175	Sep 05-Oct 18	Oct 24-Nov 29	

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HD 343 - Helena-North						
Deer						
General Deer License	Either-sex Mule Deer	-	-	Sep 05-Oct 18	-	
	Either-sex White-tailed Deer	-	-	Sep 05-Oct 18	Oct 24-Nov 29	
	Antlered Buck Mule Deer	-	-	-	Oct 24-Nov 29	
Deer B License: 343-01	Antlerless Mule Deer	June 1	25	Sep 05-Oct 18	Oct 24-Nov 29	
Deer B License: 003-00	Antlerless White-tailed Deer	OTC: Aug 10	UNL	Sep 05-Oct 18	Oct 24-Nov 29	One per hunter. Valid in all Region 3 HDs except Canyon Ferry WMA and Lake Helena WMA.
Elk						
General Elk License	Brow-tined Bull or Antlerless Elk	-	-	Sep 05-Oct 18	-	
	Either-sex Elk	-	-	Sep 05-Oct 18	Oct 24-Nov 29	Only youth ages 12-15 and hunters with a PTHFV.
	Brow-tined Bull Elk	-	-	-	Oct 24-Nov 29	
Elk Permit: 396-00	Brow-tined Bull or Antlerless Elk	April 1	600	Sep 05-Oct 18	Oct 24-Nov 29	Valid in HDs 339 and 343. Also valid for Browtined Bull in HD 343.
HD 350 - Whitetail						
Deer						
General Deer License	Either-sex Mule Deer	-	-	Sep 05-Oct 18	-	
	Either-sex White-tailed Deer	-	-	Sep 05-Oct 18	Oct 24-Nov 29	
	Antlered Buck Mule Deer	-	-	-	Oct 24-Nov 29	
Deer B License: 350-01	Antlerless Mule Deer	June 1	10	Sep 05-Oct 18	Oct 24-Nov 29	
Deer B License: 003-00	Antlerless White-tailed Deer	OTC: Aug 10	UNL	Sep 05-Oct 18	Oct 24-Nov 29	One per hunter. Valid in all Region 3 HDs except Canyon Ferry WMA and Lake Helena WMA.
Elk						
General Elk License	Brow-tined Bull or Antlerless Elk	-	-	Sep 05-Oct 18	-	
	Either-sex Elk	-	-	Sep 05-Oct 18	Oct 24-Nov 29	Only youth ages 12-15 and hunters with a PTHFV.
	Brow-tined Bull Elk	-	-	-	Oct 24-Nov 29	
Elk B License: 350-02	Antlerless Elk	June 1	150	Sep 05-Oct 18	Oct 24-Nov 29	
HD 360 - North Madison NOTE: HD 360 Check Restricted Area Legal Description (p 26-27) Ennis Airport Weapons Restriction Area; Jeffers Weapons Restriction Area						
Deer						
General Deer License	Either-sex Mule Deer	-	-	Sep 05-Oct 18	-	
	Either-sex White-tailed Deer	-	-	Sep 05-Oct 18	Oct 24-Nov 29	
	Antlered Buck Mule Deer	-	-	-	Oct 24-Nov 29	
Deer B License: 399-00	Antlerless White-tailed Deer	OTC: Aug 10	UNL	Sep 05-Oct 18	Oct 24-Nov 29	Per hunter license quota set annually. Valid in HDs 320, 322, 324, 325, 326, 330, 333, 340, and 360.
Deer B License: 003-00	Antlerless White-tailed Deer	OTC: Aug 10	UNL	Sep 05-Oct 18	Oct 24-Nov 29	One per hunter. Valid in all Region 3 HDs except Canyon Ferry WMA and Lake Helena WMA.
Elk						
General Elk License	Brow-tined Bull or Antlerless Elk	-	-	Sep 05-Oct 18	Oct 24-Nov 29	
	Either-sex Elk	-	-	Sep 05-Oct 18	Oct 24-Nov 29	Only youth ages 12-15 and hunters with a PTHFV.
Elk B License: 398-00	Antlerless Elk	June 1	500	Sep 05-Oct 18	Oct 24-Nov 29	Valid in HDs 360 and 362.

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License or Permit	Opportunity	Apply by Date	Quota	Archery Season Dates	Season Dates	Opportunity Specific Details and/or Restrictions
HD 361 - Hebgen-Upper Madison						
Deer						
General Deer License	Either-sex Mule Deer	-	-	Sep 05-Oct 18	-	
	Either-sex White-tailed Deer	-	-	Sep 05-Oct 18	Oct 24-Nov 29	
	Antlered Buck Mule Deer	-	-	-	Oct 24-Nov 29	
Deer B License: 003-00	Antlerless White-tailed Deer	OTC: Aug 10	UNL	Sep 05-Oct 18	Oct 24-Nov 29	One per hunter. Valid in all Region 3 HDs except Canyon Ferry WMA and Lake Helena WMA.
Elk						
General Elk License	Brow-tined Bull or Antlerless Elk	-	-	Sep 05-Oct 18	-	
	Either-sex Elk	-	-	Sep 05-Oct 18	Oct 24-Nov 29	Only youth ages 12-15 and hunters with a PTHFV.
	Brow-tined Bull Elk	-	-	-	Oct 24-Nov 29	
Elk B License: 361-00	Antlerless Elk	June 1	50	Sep 05-Oct 18	Oct 24-Nov 29	
HD 362 - South Madison						
Deer						
General Deer License	Either-sex Mule Deer	-	-	Sep 05-Oct 18	-	
	Either-sex White-tailed Deer	-	-	Sep 05-Oct 18	Oct 24-Nov 29	
	Antlered Buck Mule Deer	-	-	-	Oct 24-Nov 29	
Deer B License: 003-00	Antlerless White-tailed Deer	OTC: Aug 10	UNL	Sep 05-Oct 18	Oct 24-Nov 29	One per hunter. Valid in all Region 3 HDs except Canyon Ferry WMA and Lake Helena WMA.
Elk						
General Elk License	Brow-tined Bull or Antlerless Elk	-	-	Sep 05-Oct 18	Oct 24-Nov 29	
	Either-sex Elk	-	-	Sep 05-Oct 18	Oct 24-Nov 29	Only youth ages 12-15 and hunters with a PTHFV.
Elk B License: 398-00	Antlerless Elk	June 1	500	Sep 05-Oct 18	Oct 24-Nov 29	Valid in HDs 360 and 362.
HD 370 - Bull Mountains						
Deer						
General Deer License	Either-sex Mule Deer	-	-	Sep 05-Oct 18	-	
	Either-sex White-tailed Deer	-	-	Sep 05-Oct 18	Oct 24-Nov 29	
	Antlered Buck Mule Deer	-	-	-	Oct 24-Nov 29	
Deer B License: 370-01	Antlerless Mule Deer	June 1	10	Sep 05-Oct 18	Oct 24-Nov 29	
Deer B License: 003-00	Antlerless White-tailed Deer	OTC: Aug 10	UNL	Sep 05-Oct 18	Oct 24-Nov 29	One per hunter. Valid in all Region 3 HDs except Canyon Ferry WMA and Lake Helena WMA.
Elk						
General Elk License	Brow-tined Bull or Antlerless Elk	-	-	Sep 05-Oct 18	Oct 24-Nov 29	
	Either-sex Elk	-	-	Sep 05-Oct 18	Oct 24-Nov 29	Only youth ages 12-15 and hunters with a PTHFV.
Elk B License: 370-02	Antlerless Elk	June 1	150	Sep 05-Oct 18	Oct 24-Nov 29	

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HD 380 - Radersburg						
NOTE: HD 380 Check Restricted Area Legal Description (p 26-27) Muskrat Valley Weapons Restriction Area; Townsend Weapons Restriction Area						
Deer						
General Deer License	Antlerless Mule Deer	-	-	Sep 05-Oct 18	-	
	Either-sex White-tailed Deer	-	-	Sep 05-Oct 18	-	
	Antlered Buck White-tailed Deer	-	-	-	Oct 24-Nov 29	Only valid on Canyon Ferry WMA.
	Either-sex White-tailed Deer	-	-	-	Oct 24-Nov 29	Not valid on Canyon Ferry WMA.
Deer Permit: 380-50	Antlered Buck Mule Deer	April 1	UNL	Sep 05-Oct 18	Oct 24-Nov 29	One per hunter. Permit must be used with a valid General Deer License. Holders may not hunt Antlered Buck Mule Deer in any other HD.
Deer B License: 380-01	Antlerless White-tailed Deer	June 1	100	Sep 05-Oct 18	Oct 24-Nov 29	Only valid on Canyon Ferry WMA - including Canyon Ferry WMA in HDs 380 and 391.
Deer B License: 380-02	Antlerless Mule Deer	June 1	250	Sep 05-Oct 18	Oct 24-Nov 29	Only valid on private land outside of the National Forest Boundary and on DNRC (State School Trust) land.
Deer B License: 003-00	Antlerless White-tailed Deer	OTC: Aug 10	UNL	Sep 05-Oct 18	Oct 24-Nov 29	One per hunter. Valid in all Region 3 HDs except Canyon Ferry WMA and Lake Helena WMA.
Elk						
General Elk License	Spike Bull or Antlerless Elk	-	-	Sep 05-Oct 18	-	
	Spike Bull Elk	-	-	-	Oct 24-Nov 29	
	Spike Bull or Antlerless Elk	-	-	-	Oct 24-Nov 15	Only valid off National Forest land in the defined South and North Portions of the HD (see HD legal descriptions). Not valid in the rest of the HD.
		-	-	-	Oct 24-Nov 29	Only youth ages 12-15 and hunters with a PTHFV.
Elk Permit: 380-20	Either-sex Elk	April 1	135	Sep 05-Oct 18	Oct 24-Nov 29	
Elk B License: 380-00	Antlerless Elk	June 1	150	Sep 05-Oct 18	Oct 24-Nov 29	
Elk B License: 380-01	Antlerless Elk	June 1	250	Sep 05-Oct 18	Oct 24-Nov 29	Only valid in South Portion of HD.
Elk B License: 380-02	Antlerless Elk	June 1	175	Sep 05-Oct 18	Oct 24-Nov 29	Only valid in North Portion of HD.
HD 388 - Tenmile-Prickley Pear Valley						
NOTE: HD 388 Check Restricted Area Legal Description (p 26-27) Helena Valley Regulating Reservoir; Helena Valley Weapons Restriction Area. A large portion of this district is a weapons restriction area with ArchEquip, shotgun, traditional handgun, muzzleloader or crossbow only. A portion of this district does not have any weapon restrictions. See legal descriptions.						
Deer Outside the Weapons Restriction Area						
General Deer License	Either-sex Mule Deer	-	-	Sep 05-Oct 18	Oct 24-Nov 29	Outside Weapons Restriction Area
General Deer License	Either-sex White-tailed Deer	-	-	Sep 05-Oct 18	Oct 24-Nov 29	Outside Weapons Restriction Area
Deer B License: 388-00	Antlerless Mule Deer	OTC: Aug 10	UNL	Sep 05-Oct 18	Oct 24-Nov 29	Outside Weapon Restriction Area One per hunter.
Deer B License: 003-00	Antlerless White-tailed Deer	OTC: Aug 10	UNL	Sep 05-Oct 18	Oct 24-Nov 29	Outside Weapons Restriction Area One per hunter. Valid in all Region 3 HDs except Canyon Ferry WMA and Lake Helena WMA.
Deer Inside the Weapons Restriction Area						
General Deer License	Either-sex Mule Deer	-	-	-	Sep 05-Nov 29	Weapons Restriction Area
General Deer License	Antlered Buck White-tailed Deer	-	-	-	Sep 05-Nov 29	Weapons Restriction Area. Only valid in Lake Helena WMA.
General Deer License	Either-sex White-tailed Deer	-	-	-	Sep 05-Nov 29	Weapons Restriction Area. Only valid outside Lake Helena WMA.
Deer B License: 388-00	Antlerless Mule Deer	OTC: Aug 10	UNL	-	Sep 05-Nov 29	Weapons Restriction Area. One per hunter.
Deer B License: 003-00	Antlerless White-tailed Deer	OTC: Aug 10	UNL	Sep 05-Jan 31		Weapons Restriction Area One per hunter. Valid in all Region 3 HDs except Canyon Ferry WMA and Lake Helena WMA.

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HD 388 - Tenmile-Prickley Pear Valley - Continued						
NOTE: HD 388 Check Restricted Area Legal Description (p 26-27) Helena Valley Regulating Reservoir; Helena Valley Weapons Restriction Area. A large portion of this district is a weapons restriction area with ArchEquip, shotgun, traditional handgun, muzzleloader or crossbow only. A portion of this district does not have any weapon restrictions. See legal descriptions.						
Elk Outside the Weapons Restriction Area						
General Elk License	Spike Bull or Antlerless Elk	-	-	Sep 05-Oct 18	Oct 24-Nov 29	Outside Weapons Restriction Area.
Elk Inside the Weapons Restriction Area						
General Elk License	Spike Bull or Antlerless Elk	-	-	Sep 05-Nov 29		Weapons Restriction Area.
HD 390 - Sixteenmile Creek						
Deer						
General Deer License	Either-sex Mule Deer	-	-	Sep 05-Oct 18	-	
	Antlered Buck Mule Deer	-	-	-	Oct 24-Nov 29	
	Either-sex White-tailed Deer	-	-	Sep 05-Oct 18	Oct 24-Nov 29	
Deer B License: 390-01	Antlerless Mule Deer	June 1	175	Sep 05-Oct 18	Oct 24-Nov 29	Not valid on National Forest lands.
Deer B License: 003-00	Antlerless White-tailed Deer	OTC: Aug 10	UNL	Sep 05-Oct 18	Oct 24-Nov 29	One per hunter. Valid in all Region 3 HDs except Canyon Ferry WMA and Lake Helena WMA.
Elk						
General Elk License	Brow-tined Bull or Antlerless Elk	-	-	Sep 05-Oct 18	Oct 24-Nov 29	
	Either-sex Elk	-	-	Sep 05-Oct 18	Oct 24-Nov 29	Only youth ages 12-15 and hunters with a PTHFV.
Elk B License: 389-00	Antlerless Elk	OTC: Aug 10	UNL	-	Oct 24-Jan 01	Not valid on National Forest Lands or FWP WMAs. One per hunter. Valid in HDs 390, 391 (South of Duck Creek only), & 393.
HD 391 - Dry Creek-Avalanche						
NOTE: HD 391 Check Restricted Area Legal Description (p 26-27) Townsend Weapons Restriction Area						
Deer						
General Deer License	Either-sex Mule Deer	-	-	Sep 05-Oct 18	-	
	Either-sex White-tailed Deer	-	-	Sep 05-Oct 18	-	
	Antlered Buck Mule Deer	-	-	-	Oct 24-Nov 29	
	Antlered Buck White-tailed Deer	-	-	-	Oct 24-Nov 29	Only valid on Canyon Ferry WMA.
	Either-sex White-tailed Deer	-	-	-	Oct 24-Nov 29	Not valid on Canyon Ferry WMA.
Deer B License: 380-01	Antlerless White-tailed Deer	June 1	100	Sep 05-Oct 18	Oct 24-Nov 29	Only valid on Canyon Ferry WMA - including Canyon Ferry WMA in HDs 380 and 391.
Deer B License: 391-02	Antlerless Mule Deer	June 1	250	Sep 05-Oct 18	Oct 24-Nov 29	Not valid on National Forest lands.
Deer B License: 003-00	Antlerless White-tailed Deer	OTC: Aug 10	UNL	Sep 05-Oct 18	Oct 24-Nov 29	One per hunter. Valid in all Region 3 HDs except Canyon Ferry WMA and Lake Helena WMA.
Elk						
General Elk License	Brow-tined Bull or Antlerless Elk	-	-	Sep 05-Oct 18	-	
	Either-sex Elk	-	-	Sep 05-Oct 18	-	Only youth ages 12-15 and hunters with a PTHFV.
	Brow-tined Bull Elk	-	-	-	Oct 24-Nov 29	Only valid on National Forest Land.
	Brow-tined Bull or Antlerless Elk	-	-	-	Oct 24-Nov 29	Not valid on National Forest Land.
	Either-sex Elk	-	-	-	Oct 24-Nov 29	Only youth ages 12-15 and hunters with a PTHFV. Not valid on National Forest Land.
Elk B License: 389-00	Antlerless Elk	OTC: Aug 10	UNL	-	Oct 24-Jan 01	Not valid on National Forest Lands or FWP WMAs. One per hunter. Valid in HDs 390, 391 (south of Duck Creek only), & 393.
Elk B License: 391-00	Antlerless Elk	June 1	125	Sep 05-Oct 18	Oct 24-Nov 29	Only valid north of Duck Creek. Not valid on National Forest lands.

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HD 392 - Avalanche-Gates of the Mountains NOTE: HD 392 Check Restricted Area Legal Description (p 26-27) Gates of the Mountains Game Preserve						
Deer						
General Deer License	Antlerless Mule Deer	-	-	Sep 05-Oct 18	-	
	Either-sex White-tailed Deer	-	-	Sep 05-Oct 18	Oct 24-Nov 29	
Deer Permit: 392-50	Antlered Buck Mule Deer	April 1	UNL	Sep 05-Oct 18	Oct 24-Nov 29	One per hunter. Permit must be used with a valid General Deer License. Holders may not hunt Antlered Buck Mule Deer in any other HD.
Deer B License: 392-01	Antlerless Mule Deer	June 1	75	Sep 05-Oct 18	Oct 24-Nov 29	
Deer B License: 003-00	Antlerless White-tailed Deer	OTC: Aug 10	UNL	Sep 05-Oct 18	Oct 24-Nov 29	One per hunter. Valid in all Region 3 HDs except Canyon Ferry WMA and Lake Helena WMA.
Elk						
General Elk License	Brow-tined Bull or Antlerless Elk	-	-	Sep 05-Oct 18	-	
	Either-sex Elk	-	-	Sep 05-Oct 18	-	Only youth ages 12-15 and hunters with a PTHFV.
	Brow-tined Bull Elk	-	-	-	Oct 24-Nov 29	
Elk B License: 392-00	Antlerless Elk	June 1	25	Sep 05-Oct 18	Oct 24-Nov 29	
HD 393 - East Bridger NOTE: HD 393 Check Restricted Area Legal Description (p 26-27) Yellowstone River Islands						
Deer						
General Deer License	Antlered Buck Mule Deer	-	-	Sep 05-Oct 18	Oct 24-Nov 29	
	Either-sex Mule Deer	-	-	Sep 05-Oct 18	Oct 24-Nov 29	Only Valid in South of Willow Creek Portion
	Either-sex White-tailed Deer	-	-	Sep 05-Oct 18	Oct 24-Nov 29	
Deer B License: 393-01	Antlerless Mule Deer	June 1	100	Sep 05-Oct 18	Oct 24-Nov 29	Valid on private land only
Deer B License: 003-00	Antlerless White-tailed Deer	OTC: Aug 10	UNL	Sep 05-Oct 18	Oct 24-Nov 29	One per hunter. Valid in all Region 3 HDs except Canyon Ferry WMA and Lake Helena WMA.
Elk						
General Elk License	Brow-tined Bull or Antlerless Elk	-	-	Sep 05-Oct 18	Oct 24-Nov 22	
	Either-sex Elk	-	-	Sep 05-Oct 18	Oct 24-Nov 22	Only youth ages 12-15 and hunters with a PTHFV.
	Antlerless Elk	-	-	-	Nov 23-Nov 29	
Elk B License: 389-00	Antlerless Elk	OTC: Aug 10	UNL	-	Oct 24-Jan 1	Not valid on National Forest Lands or FWP WMAs. One per hunter. Valid in HDs 390, 391 (South of Duck Creek only), & 393.

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Region 4						
HD 400 - Lower Marias River						
NOTE: CWD has been found in or adjacent to HD 400. For more information about CWD, see page 4. NOTE: HD 400 Check Restricted Area Legal Description (p 26-27) Brinkman Game Preserve closed to big game hunting except as noted below NOTE: Elk numbers are low and elk will be difficult to find.						
Deer						
General Deer License	Either-sex Mule Deer	-	-	Sep 05-Oct 18	-	Valid entire HD including Brinkman Game Preserve.
	Either-sex White-tailed Deer	-	-	Sep 05-Oct 18	-	Valid entire HD including Brinkman Game Preserve.
	Either-sex Mule Deer	-	-	-	Oct 24-Nov 15	
	Either-sex White-tailed Deer	-	-	-	Oct 24-Nov 15	
Deer Permit: 400-50	Antlered Buck Mule Deer	April 1	100	-	Nov 16-Nov 29	Permit must be used with a valid General Deer License. Holders may not hunt Antlered Buck Mule Deer in any other HD.
Deer Permit: 400-51	Antlered Buck White-tailed Deer	April 1	40	-	Nov 16-Nov 29	Permit must be used with a valid General Deer License.
Deer B License: 400-00	Antlerless Mule Deer	June 1	200	Sep 05-Oct 18	Oct 24-Nov 15	
Deer B License: 004-00	Antlerless White-tailed Deer	OTC: Aug 10	UNL	Sep 05-Oct 18	Oct 24-Nov 15	One per hunter. Valid in all Region 4 HDs except HD 455.
Elk						
General Elk License	Either-sex Elk	-	-	Sep 05-Oct 18	Oct 24-Nov 29	
Elk B License: 004-00	Antlerless Elk	June 1	6,000	Sep 05-Oct 18	Oct 24-Nov 29	Not valid on National Forest lands, FWP WMAs, or CMR Refuge. Valid in all Region 4 HDs except HDs 410 and 455 as listed under each HD.
HD 401 - Sweet Grass Hills						
NOTE: CWD has been found in or adjacent to HD 401. For more information about CWD, see page 4.						
Deer						
General Deer License	Either-sex Mule Deer	-	-	Sep 05-Oct 18	Oct 24-Nov 15	
	Either-sex White-tailed Deer	-	-	Sep 05-Oct 18	Oct 24-Nov 15	
Deer Permit: 401-50	Antlered Buck Mule Deer	April 1	90	-	Nov 16-Nov 29	Permit must be used with a valid General Deer License. Holders may not hunt Antlered Buck Mule Deer in any other HD.
Deer Permit: 401-51	Antlered Buck White-tailed Deer	April 1	70	-	Nov 16-Nov 29	Permit must be used with a valid General Deer License.
Deer B License: 401-00	Antlerless Mule Deer	June 1	200	Sep 05-Oct 18	Oct 24-Nov 15	
Deer B License: 004-00	Antlerless White-tailed Deer	OTC: Aug 10	UNL	Sep 05-Oct 18	Oct 24-Nov 15	One per hunter. Valid in all Region 4 HDs except HD 455.
Elk						
General Elk License	Antlerless Elk	-	-	Sep 05-Oct 18	Oct 24-Nov 29	
Elk Permit: 401-20	Either-sex Elk	April 1	50	Sep 05-Oct 18	Oct 24-Nov 29	Only valid in HDs 401 and 403.
Elk Permit: 900-20	Either-sex Elk	April 1	4,000	Sep 05-Oct 18	-	First and second choice only. ArchEquip Only. Valid in multiple HDs as listed under each HD.
Elk B License: 004-00	Antlerless Elk	June 1	6,000	Sep 05-Oct 18	Oct 24-Nov 29	Not valid on National Forest lands, FWP WMAs, or CMR Refuge. Valid in all Region 4 HDs except HDs 410 and 455 as listed under each HD.

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HD 403 - Cut Bank NOTE: Elk numbers are low and elk will be difficult to find.						
Deer						
General Deer License	Either-sex Mule Deer	-	-	Sep 05-Oct 18	Oct 24-Nov 15	
	Either-sex White-tailed Deer	-	-	Sep 05-Oct 18	Oct 24-Nov 15	
Deer Permit: 403-50	Antlered Buck Mule Deer	April 1	30	-	Nov 16-Nov 29	Permit must be used with a valid General Deer License. Holders may not hunt Antlered Buck Mule Deer in any other HD.
Deer Permit: 403-51	Antlered Buck White-tailed Deer	April 1	10	-	Nov 16-Nov 29	Permit must be used with a valid General Deer License.
Deer B License: 403-00	Antlerless Mule Deer	June 1	50	Sep 05-Oct 18	Oct 24-Nov 15	
Deer B License: 004-00	Antlerless White-tailed Deer	OTC: Aug 10	UNL	Sep 05-Oct 18	Oct 24-Nov 15	One per hunter. Valid in all Region 4 HDs except HD 455.
Elk						
General Elk License	Antlerless Elk	-	-	Sep 05-Oct 18	Oct 24-Nov 29	
Elk Permit: 401-20	Either-sex Elk	April 1	50	Sep 05-Oct 18	Oct 24-Nov 29	Only valid in HDs 401 and 403.
Elk Permit: 900-20	Either-sex Elk	April 1	4,000	Sep 05-Oct 18	-	First and second choice only. ArchEquip Only. Valid in multiple HDs as listed under each HD.
Elk B License: 004-00	Antlerless Elk	June 1	6,000	Sep 05-Oct 18	Oct 24-Nov 29	Not valid on National Forest lands, FWP WMAs, or CMR Refuge. Valid in all Region 4 HDs except HDs 410 and 455 as listed under each HD.
HD 404 - Lower Teton River NOTE: HD 404 Check Restricted Area Legal Description (p 26-27) Teton-Spring Creek Cooperative Hunting Area (TSCA) NOTE: Elk numbers are low and will be difficult to find.						
Deer						
General Deer License	Either-sex Mule Deer	-	-	Sep 05-Oct 18	Oct 24-Nov 29	
	Either-sex White-tailed Deer	-	-	Sep 05-Oct 18	Oct 24-Nov 29	
Deer B License: 404-00	Antlerless Mule Deer	June 1	100	Sep 05-Oct 18	Oct 24-Nov 29	
Deer B License: 004-00	Antlerless White-tailed Deer	OTC: Aug 10	UNL	Sep 05-Oct 18	Oct 24-Nov 29	One per hunter. Valid in all Region 4 HDs except HD 455.
Elk						
General Elk License	Either-sex Elk	-	-	Sep 05-Oct 18	Oct 24-Nov 29	
Elk B License: 004-00	Antlerless Elk	June 1	6,000	Sep 05-Oct 18	Oct 24-Nov 29	Not valid on National Forest lands, FWP WMAs, or CMR Refuge. Valid in all Region 4 HDs except HDs 410 and 455 as listed under each HD.
HD 405 - Carter NOTE: Elk numbers are low and will be difficult to find.						
Deer						
General Deer License	Either-sex Mule Deer	-	-	Sep 05-Oct 18	Oct 24-Nov 29	
	Either-sex White-tailed Deer	-	-	Sep 05-Oct 18	Oct 24-Nov 29	
Deer B License: 405-00	Antlerless Mule Deer	June 1	400	Sep 05-Oct 18	Oct 24-Nov 29	
Deer B License: 004-00	Antlerless White-tailed Deer	OTC: Aug 10	UNL	Sep 05-Oct 18	Oct 24-Nov 29	One per hunter. Valid in all Region 4 HDs except HD 455.
Elk						
General Elk License	Either-sex Elk	-	-	Sep 05-Oct 18	Oct 24-Nov 29	
Elk B License: 004-00	Antlerless Elk	June 1	6,000	Sep 05-Oct 18	Oct 24-Nov 29	Not valid on National Forest lands, FWP WMAs, or CMR Refuge. Valid in all Region 4 HDs except HDs 410 and 455 as listed under each HD.

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HD 406 - Upper Marias-Dupuyer						
NOTE: Marias River WMA limited access permits for deer hunting. Check FWP website for info. Contact FWP-R4 HQ 406-454-5840, in Great Falls. Elk numbers are low and elk will be difficult to find.						
Deer						
General Deer License	Either-sex Mule Deer	-	-	Sep 05-Oct 18	Oct 24-Nov 15	
	Either-sex White-tailed Deer	-	-	Sep 05-Oct 18	Oct 24-Nov 15	
Deer Permit: 406-50	Antlered Buck Mule Deer	April 1	40	-	Nov 16-Nov 29	Permit must be used with a valid General Deer License. Holders may not hunt Antlered Buck Mule Deer in any other HD.
Deer Permit: 406-51	Antlered Buck White-tailed Deer	April 1	40	-	Nov 16-Nov 29	Permit must be used with a valid General Deer License.
Deer B License: 406-00	Antlerless Mule Deer	June 1	100	Sep 05-Oct 18	Oct 24-Nov 15	
Deer B License: 004-00	Antlerless White-tailed Deer	OTC: Aug 10	UNL	Sep 05-Oct 18	Oct 24-Nov 15	One per hunter. Valid in all Region 4 HDs except HD 455.
Elk						
General Elk License	Either-sex Elk	-	-	Sep 05-Oct 18	Oct 24-Nov 29	
Elk B License: 004-00	Antlerless Elk	June 1	6,000	Sep 05-Oct 18	Oct 24-Nov 29	Not valid on National Forest lands, FWP WMAs, or CMR Refuge. Valid in all Region 4 HDs except HDs 410 and 455 as listed under each HD.
HD 410 - Missouri River Breaks						
NOTE: HD 410 Check Restricted Area Legal Description (p 26-27) Charles M. Russell (CMR) National Wildlife Refuge and U.S. Army Corps of Engineers. NOTE: CMR National Wildlife Refuge and U.S. Army Corps of Engineers (ACOE) regulations may differ from these regulations, to include closed or weapons restricted areas. Hunters should contact the CMR at 406-538-8706 or the ACOE at 406-526-3411. Elk hunters in HD 410 may also hunt on islands in the Missouri River adjacent to where their elk permit is valid. Island is defined as land completely surrounded by water at the time of the hunt.						
Deer						
General Deer License	Either-sex Mule Deer	-	-	Sep 05-Oct 18	Oct 24-Nov 29	
	Either-sex White-tailed Deer	-	-	Sep 05-Oct 18	Oct 24-Nov 29	
Deer B License: 410-00	Antlerless Mule Deer	June 1	50	Sep 05-Oct 18	Oct 24-Nov 29	
Deer B License: 004-00	Antlerless White-tailed Deer	OTC: Aug 10	UNL	Sep 05-Oct 18	Oct 24-Nov 29	One per hunter. Valid in all Region 4 HDs except HD 455.
Elk Hunting by Drawing Only						
Elk Permit: 410-20	Either-sex Elk	April 1	150	Sep 05-Oct 18	Oct 24-Nov 29	
Elk Permit: 410-21	Either-sex Elk	April 1	1,900	Sep 05-Oct 18	-	Only valid in HDs 410 and 417.
Elk B License: 410-00	Antlerless Elk	June 1	100	Sep 05-Oct 18	Oct 24-Nov 29	
Elk B License: 410-01	Antlerless Elk	June 1	300	Sep 05-Oct 18	-	Only valid in HDs 410 and 417.
Elk B License: 410-02	Antlerless Elk	June 1	1000	Sep 05-Oct 18	Oct 24-Feb 15	Only valid south of Crooked Creek (Sacagawea River). Not valid on CMR Refuge. Successful 410-02 license holders may use General Elk License to harvest 2nd antlerless elk in the same area where the 410-02 is valid.
HD 411 - Snowy Mountains						
Deer						
General Deer License	Either-sex Mule Deer	-	-	Sep 05-Oct 18	Oct 24-Nov 29	
	Either-sex White-tailed Deer	-	-	Sep 05-Oct 18	Oct 24-Nov 29	
Deer B License: 411-01	Antlerless Mule Deer	June 1	50	Sep 05-Oct 18	Oct 24-Nov 29	
Deer B License: 497-00	Antlerless White-tailed Deer	June 1	300	Sep 05-Oct 18	Oct 24-Nov 29	Valid in HDs 411 and 412.
Deer B License: 004-00	Antlerless White-tailed Deer	OTC: Aug 10	UNL	Sep 05-Oct 18	Oct 24-Nov 29	One per hunter. Valid in all Region 4 HDs except HD 455.

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License or Permit	Opportunity	Apply by Date	Quota	Archery Season Dates	Season Dates	Opportunity Specific Details and/or Restrictions
HD 411 - Snowy Mountains - Continued						
Elk						
General Elk License	Spike Bull or Antlerless Elk	-	-	Sep 05-Oct 18	Oct 24-Nov 29	
	Antlerless Elk	-	-	-	Nov 30-Jan 01	Not valid on National Forest Lands.
Elk Permit: 411-20	Either-sex Elk	April 1	300	Sep 05-Oct 18	Oct 24-Nov 29	Only valid in HDs 411, 511 and 530.
Elk Permit: 900-20	Either-sex Elk	April 1	4,000	Sep 05-Oct 18	-	First and second choice only. ArchEquip Only. Valid in multiple HDs as listed under each HD.
Elk B License: 411-00	Antlerless Elk	June 1	1,000	Sep 05-Oct 18	Oct 24-Nov 29	Valid in HDs 411, 511, and 530.
				-	Nov 30-Feb 01	Valid in HDs 411, 511, and 530. 411-00 license holders may also use an unused General Elk License to harvest antlerless elk. 411-00 and General Elk License not valid on National Forest Lands after general season.
Elk B License: 004-00	Antlerless Elk	June 1	6,000	Sep 05-Oct 18	Oct 24-Jan 01	Not valid on National Forest lands, FWP WMAs, or CMR Refuge. Valid in all Region 4 HDs except HDs 410 and 455 as listed under each HD.
HD 412 - Judith and Moccasin Mountains						
Deer						
General Deer License	Either-sex Mule Deer	-	-	Sep 05-Oct 18	Oct 24-Nov 29	
	Either-sex White-tailed Deer	-	-	Sep 05-Oct 18	Oct 24-Nov 29	
Deer B License: 412-01	Antlerless Mule Deer	June 1	50	Sep 05-Oct 18	Oct 24-Nov 29	
Deer B License: 497-00	Antlerless White-tailed Deer	June 1	300	Sep 05-Oct 18	Oct 24-Nov 29	Valid in HDs 411 and 412.
Deer B License: 004-00	Antlerless White-tailed Deer	OTC: Aug 10	UNL	Sep 05-Oct 18	Oct 24-Nov 29	One per hunter. Valid in all Region 4 HDs except HD 455.
Elk						
General Elk License	Spike Bull or Antlerless Elk	-	-	Sep 05-Oct 18	Oct 24-Nov 29	
	Antlerless Elk	-	-	-	Aug 15-Sep 04 Oct 19-Oct 23	Only valid on private land.
		-	-	-	Nov 30-Feb 15	
Elk Permit: 412-20	Either-sex Elk	April 1	120	Sep 05-Oct 18	Oct 24-Nov 29	
Elk Permit: 900-20	Either-sex Elk	April 1	4,000	Sep 05-Oct 18	-	First and second choice only. ArchEquip Only. Valid in multiple HDs as listed under each HD.
Elk B License: 004-00	Antlerless Elk	June 1	6,000	Sep 05-Oct 18	Oct 24-Feb 15	Not valid on National Forest lands, FWP WMAs, or CMR Refuge. Valid in all Region 4 HDs except HDs 410 and 455 as listed under each HD.
				-	Aug 15-Sep 04 Oct 19-Oct 23	Only valid on private land. Not valid on National Forest lands, FWP WMAs, or CMR Refuge. Valid in all Region 4 HDs except HDs 410 and 455 as listed under each HD.
HD 413 - Northwest Little Belt Mountains NOTE: HD 413 Check Restricted Area Legal Description (p 26-27) Missouri River between the mouth of Sand Coulee Crk downstream to Great Falls city limits (this includes Park and Taylor Islands and all other unnamed islands) restricted to ArchEquip only.						
Deer						
General Deer License	Either-sex Mule Deer	-	-	Sep 05-Oct 18	Oct 24-Nov 29	
	Either-sex White-tailed Deer	-	-	Sep 05-Oct 18	Oct 24-Nov 29	
Deer B License: 413-00	Antlerless Mule Deer	June 1	50	Sep 05-Oct 18	Oct 24-Nov 29	Only valid outside National Forest Boundary.
Deer B License: 496-00	Antlerless White-tailed Deer	June 1	300	Sep 05-Oct 18	Oct 24-Nov 29	Valid in HDs 413 and 445.
Deer B License: 004-00	Antlerless White-tailed Deer	OTC: Aug 10	UNL	Sep 05-Oct 18	Oct 24-Nov 29	One per hunter. Valid in all Region 4 HDs except HD 455.

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HD 413 - Northwest Little Belt Mountains - Continued NOTE: HD 413 Check Restricted Area Legal Description (p 26-27) Missouri River between the mouth of Sand Coulee Crk downstream to Great Falls city limits (this includes Park and Taylor Islands and all other unnamed islands) restricted to ArchEquip only						
Elk						
General Elk License	Either-sex Elk	-	-	Sep 05-Oct 18	Oct 24-Nov 29	
Elk B License: 004-00	Antlerless Elk	June 1	6,000	Sep 05-Oct 18	Oct 24-Nov 29	Not valid on National Forest lands, FWP WMAs, or CMR Refuge. Valid in all Region 4 HDs except HDs 410 and 455 as listed under each HD.
HD 415 - Summit-North Fork Birch Creek						
Deer						
General Deer License	Antlered Buck Mule Deer	-	-	Sep 05-Oct 18	Oct 24-Nov 29	
	Either-sex White-tailed Deer	-	-	Sep 05-Oct 18	Oct 24-Nov 29	
Deer B License: 004-00	Antlerless White-tailed Deer	OTC: Aug 10	UNL	Sep 05-Oct 18	Oct 24-Nov 29	One per hunter. Valid in all Region 4 HDs except HD 455.
Elk						
General Elk License	Either-sex Elk	-	-	Sep 05-Oct 18	Oct 24-Nov 29	
Elk B License: 004-00	Antlerless Elk	June 1	6,000	Sep 05-Oct 18	Oct 24-Nov 29	Not valid on National Forest lands, FWP WMAs, or CMR Refuge. Valid in all Region 4 HDs except HDs 410 and 455 as listed under each HD.
HD 416 - Little Belt Mountains NOTE: HD 416 Check Restricted Area Legal Description (p 26-27) Smith River WMA						
Deer						
General Deer License	Antlered Buck Mule Deer	-	-	Sep 05-Oct 18	Oct 24-Nov 29	
	Either-sex White-tailed Deer	-	-	Sep 05-Oct 18	Oct 24-Nov 29	
Deer B License: 004-00	Antlerless White-tailed Deer	OTC: Aug 10	UNL	Sep 05-Oct 18	Oct 24-Nov 29	One per hunter. Valid in all Region 4 HDs except HD 455.
Elk						
General Elk License	Either-sex Elk	-	-	Sep 05-Oct 18	Oct 24-Nov 29	
Elk B License: 004-00	Antlerless Elk	June 1	6,000	Sep 05-Oct 18	Oct 24-Nov 29	Not valid on National Forest lands, FWP WMAs, or CMR Refuge. Valid in all Region 4 HDs except HDs 410 and 455 as listed under each HD.
HD 417 - Armells Creek NOTE: HD 417 Check Restricted Area Legal Description (p 26-27) Charles M. Russell (CMR) National Wildlife Refuge and U.S. Army Corps of Engineers. NOTE: Elk hunters in HD 417 may also hunt on islands in the Missouri River adjacent to where their elk permit is valid. Island is defined as land completely surrounded by water at the time of the hunt.						
Deer						
General Deer License	Either-sex Mule Deer	-	-	Sep 05-Oct 18	Oct 24-Nov 29	
	Either-sex White-tailed Deer	-	-	Sep 05-Oct 18	Oct 24-Nov 29	
Deer B License: 417-00	Antlerless Mule Deer	June 1	50	Sep 05-Oct 18	Oct 24-Nov 29	
Deer B License: 004-00	Antlerless White-tailed Deer	OTC: Aug 10	UNL	Sep 05-Oct 18	Oct 24-Nov 29	One per hunter. Valid in all Region 4 HDs except HD 455.
Elk						
General Elk License	Antlerless Elk	-	-	Sep 05-Oct 18	Oct 24-Jan 15	Only valid south of D-Y Trail and Knox Ridge Road.
Elk Permit: 410-21	Either-sex Elk	April 1	1,900	Sep 05-Oct 18	-	Only valid in HDs 410 and 417.
Elk Permit: 417-20	Either-sex Elk	April 1	225	Sep 05-Oct 18	Oct 24-Nov 29	
Elk B License: 004-00	Antlerless Elk	April 1	6,000	Sep 05-Oct 18	Oct 24-Jan 15	Only valid south of D-Y Trail and Knox Ridge Road. Not valid on National Forest lands, FWP WMAs, or CMR Refuge. Valid in all Region 4 HDs except HDs 410 and 455 as listed under each HD.
Elk B License: 410-01	Antlerless Elk	June 1	300	Sep 05-Oct 18	-	Only valid in HDs 410 and 417.
Elk B License: 417-02	Antlerless Elk	June 1	100	Sep 05-Oct 18	Oct 24-Nov 29	

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HD 418 - South Judith Basin						
Deer						
General Deer License	Antlered Buck Mule Deer	-	-	Sep 05-Oct 18	Oct 24-Nov 29	
	Either-sex White-tailed Deer	-	-	Sep 05-Oct 18	Oct 24-Nov 29	
Deer B License: 004-00	Antlerless White-tailed Deer	OTC: Aug 10	UNL	Sep 05-Oct 18	Oct 24-Nov 29	One per hunter. Valid in all Region 4 HDs except HD 455.
Elk						
General Elk License	Either-sex Elk	-	-	Sep 05-Oct 18	Oct 24-Nov 29	
Elk B License: 004-00	Antlerless Elk	June 1	6,000	Sep 05-Oct 18	Oct 24-Nov 29	Not valid on National Forest lands, FWP WMAs, or CMR Refuge. Valid in all Region 4 HDs except HDs 410 and 455 as listed under each HD.
HD 419 - Stanford NOTE: Elk numbers are low and elk will be difficult to find.						
Deer						
General Deer License	Either-sex Mule Deer	-	-	Sep 05-Oct 18	Oct 24-Nov 29	
	Either-sex White-tailed Deer	-	-	Sep 05-Oct 18	Oct 24-Nov 29	
Deer B License: 419-00	Antlerless Mule Deer	June 1	50	Sep 05-Oct 18	Oct 24-Nov 29	
Deer B License: 004-00	Antlerless White-tailed Deer	OTC: Aug 10	UNL	Sep 05-Oct 18	Oct 24-Nov 29	One per hunter. Valid in all Region 4 HDs except HD 455.
Elk						
General Elk License	Either-sex Elk	-	-	Sep 05-Oct 18	Oct 24-Nov 29	
	Antlerless Elk	-	-	-	Nov 30-Jan 15	
Elk B License: 004-00	Antlerless Elk	June 1	6,000	Sep 05-Oct 18	Oct 24-Jan 15	Not valid on National Forest lands, FWP WMAs, or CMR Refuge. Valid in all Region 4 HDs except HDs 410 and 455 as listed under each HD.
HD 420 - Judith River WMA-Sage Creek NOTE: Judith-River WMA Area Map and Rules available at FWP-R4 HQ 406-454-5840.						
Deer						
General Deer License	Antlered Buck Mule Deer	-	-	Sep 05-Oct 18	Oct 24-Nov 29	
	Either-sex White-tailed Deer	-	-	Sep 05-Oct 18	Oct 24-Nov 29	
Deer B License: 004-00	Antlerless White-tailed Deer	OTC: Aug 10	UNL	Sep 05-Oct 18	Oct 24-Nov 29	One per hunter. Valid in all Region 4 HDs except HD 455.
Elk						
General Elk License	Either-sex Elk	-	-	Sep 05-Oct 18	-	
Elk Permit: 420-20	Either-sex Elk	April 1	80	Sep 05-Oct 18	Oct 24-Nov 29	
Elk B License: 448-00	Antlerless Elk	June 1	150	Sep 05-Oct 18	Oct 24-Nov 29	Only valid in HDs 420 and 448.
Elk B License: 004-00	Antlerless Elk	June 1	6,000	Sep 05-Oct 18	Oct 24-Nov 29	Not valid on National Forest lands, FWP WMAs, or CMR Refuge. Valid in all Region 4 HDs except HDs 410 and 455 as listed under each HD.
HD 421 - Birdtail Hills						
Deer						
General Deer License	Either-sex Mule Deer	-	-	Sep 05-Oct 18	Oct 24-Nov 29	
	Either-sex White-tailed Deer	-	-	Sep 05-Oct 18	Oct 24-Nov 29	
Deer B License: 004-00	Antlerless White-tailed Deer	OTC: Aug 10	UNL	Sep 05-Oct 18	Oct 24-Nov 29	One per hunter. Valid in all Region 4 HDs except HD 455.
Elk						
General Elk License	Either-sex Elk	-	-	Sep 05-Oct 18	Oct 24-Nov 29	
	Antlerless Elk	-	-	-	Aug 15-Sep 04 Jan 01-Feb 15	Only valid outside National Forest boundary.
Elk B License: 004-00	Antlerless Elk	June 1	6,000	Sep 05-Oct 18	Aug 15-Sep 04 Oct 24-Nov 29 Jan 01-Feb 15	Not valid on National Forest lands, FWP WMAs, or CMR Refuge. Valid in all Region 4 HDs except HDs 410 and 455 as listed under each HD.

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HD 422 - North Dearborn						
Deer						
General Deer License	Antlered Buck Mule Deer	-	-	Sep 05-Oct 18	Oct 24-Nov 29	Only valid within Natl Forest Boundary.
	Either-sex Mule Deer	-	-	Sep 05-Oct 18	Oct 24-Nov 29	Only valid outside Natl Forest Boundary.
	Either-sex White-tailed Deer	-	-	Sep 05-Oct 18	Oct 24-Nov 29	
Deer B License: 498-00	Antlerless White-tailed Deer	June 1	400	Sep 05-Oct 18	Oct 24-Nov 29	Valid in HDs 422 and 444.
Deer B License: 004-00	Antlerless White-tailed Deer	OTC: Aug 10	UNL	Sep 05-Oct 18	Oct 24-Nov 29	One per hunter. Valid in all Region 4 HDs except HD 455.
Elk						
General Elk License	Either-sex Elk	-	-	Sep 05-Oct 18	Oct 24-Nov 29	
	Antlerless Elk	-	-	-	Aug 15-Sep 04 Jan 01-Feb 15	Only valid outside National Forest boundary.
Elk B License: 422-00	Antlerless Elk	June 1	200	Sep 05-Oct 18	Oct 24-Nov 29	
				-	Aug 15-Sep 04 Jan 01-Feb 15	Only valid outside National Forest boundary.
Elk B License: 004-00	Antlerless Elk	June 1	6,000	Sep 05-Oct 18	Aug 15-Sep 04 Oct 24-Nov 29 Jan 01-Feb 15	Not valid on National Forest lands, FWP WMAs, or CMR Refuge. Valid in all Region 4 HDs except HDs 410 and 455 as listed under each HD.
HD 423 - South Dearborn						
Deer						
General Deer License	Antlered Buck Mule Deer	-	-	Sep 05-Oct 18	Oct 24-Nov 29	Only valid inside National Forest boundary.
	Either-sex Mule Deer	-	-	Sep 05-Oct 18	Oct 24-Nov 29	Only valid outside National Forest boundary.
	Either-sex White-tailed Deer	-	-	Sep 05-Oct 18	Oct 24-Nov 29	
Deer B License: 004-00	Antlerless White-tailed Deer	OTC: Aug 10	UNL	Sep 05-Oct 18	Oct 24-Nov 29	One per hunter. Valid in all Region 4 HDs except HD 455.
Elk						
General Elk License	Brow-tined Bull or Antlerless Elk	-	-	Sep 05-Oct 18	Oct 24-Nov 29	
	Antlerless Elk	-	-	-	Aug 15-Sep 04 Jan 01-Feb 15	Only valid outside National Forest boundary.
Elk B License: 004-00	Antlerless Elk	June 1	6,000	Sep 05-Oct 18	Aug 15-Sep 04 Oct 24-Nov 29 Jan 01-Feb 15	Not valid on National Forest lands, FWP WMAs, or CMR Refuge. Valid in all Region 4 HDs except HDs 410 and 455 as listed under each HD.
HD 424 - Benchmark						
Deer						
General Deer License	Antlered Buck Mule Deer	-	-	Sep 05-Oct 18	Oct 24-Nov 29	
	Either-sex White-tailed Deer	-	-	Sep 05-Oct 18	Oct 24-Nov 29	
Deer B License: 004-00	Antlerless White-tailed Deer	OTC: Aug 10	UNL	Sep 05-Oct 18	Oct 24-Nov 29	One per hunter. Valid in all Region 4 HDs except HD 455.
Elk						
General Elk License	Brow-tined Bull or Antlerless Elk	-	-	Sep 05-Oct 18	-	
	Antlerless Elk	-	-	-	Oct 24-Oct 27	
	Brow-tined Bull or Antlerless Elk	-	-	-	Oct 28-Nov 29	Quota = 10 antlerless or brow-tined bull elk through the Augusta check station. If quota is reached, the antlerless elk season will close on 12-hour notice. The brow-tined bull season will remain open until the end of general rifle season
Elk B License: 004-00	Antlerless Elk	June 1	6,000	Sep 05-Oct 18	Oct 24-Nov 29	Not valid on National Forest lands, FWP WMAs, or CMR Refuge. Valid in all Region 4 HDs except HDs 410 and 455 as listed under each HD.

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HD 425 - Sun River WMA NOTE: Sun River WMA Area Map and Rules available at FWP-R4 HQ 406-454-5840.						
Deer						
General Deer License	Antlered Buck Mule Deer	-	-	Sep 05-Oct 18	Oct 24-Nov 29	
	Either-sex White-tailed Deer	-	-	Sep 05-Oct 18	Oct 24-Nov 29	
Deer B License: 004-00	Antlerless White-tailed Deer	OTC: Aug 10	UNL	Sep 05-Oct 18	Oct 24-Nov 29	One per hunter. Valid in all Region 4 HDs except HD 455.
Elk						
General Elk License	Brow-tined Bull or Antlerless Elk	-	-	Sep 05-Oct 18	-	
	Antlerless Elk	-	-	-	Oct 24-Nov 29	Only valid outside the Sun River WMA.
Elk Permit: 425-20	Either-sex Elk	April 1	5	Sep 05-Oct 18	Oct 24-Nov 29	
Elk B License: 425-00	Antlerless Elk	June 1	30	-	Oct 19-Oct 25	Valid entire HD including Sun River WMA.
Elk B License: 425-01	Antlerless Elk	June 1	25	-	Oct 26-Nov 01	Valid entire HD including Sun River WMA.
Elk B License: 425-02	Antlerless Elk	June 1	20	-	Nov 02-Nov 08	Valid entire HD including Sun River WMA.
Elk B License: 004-00	Antlerless Elk	June 1	6,000	Sep 05-Oct 18	Oct 24-Nov 29	Not valid on National Forest lands, FWP WMAs, or CMR Refuge. Valid in all Region 4 HDs except HDs 410 and 455 as listed under each HD.
HD 426 - Winifred NOTE: Beckman WMA Area Map and Rules available at FWP-R4 HQ 406-454-5840.						
Deer						
General Deer License	Either-sex Mule Deer	-	-	Sep 05-Oct 18	Oct 24-Nov 29	
	Either-sex White-tailed Deer	-	-	Sep 05-Oct 18	Oct 24-Nov 29	
Deer B License: 426-00	Antlerless Mule Deer	June 1	100	Sep 05-Oct 18	Oct 24-Nov 29	
Deer B License: 004-00	Antlerless White-tailed Deer	OTC: Aug 10	UNL	Sep 05-Oct 18	Oct 24-Nov 29	One per hunter. Valid in all Region 4 HDs except HD 455.
Elk						
General Elk License	Antlerless Elk	-	-	Sep 05-Oct 18	Oct 24-Nov 29	
Elk Permit: 426-20	Either-sex Elk	April 1	60	Sep 05-Oct 18	Oct 24-Nov 29	
Elk Permit: 900-20	Either-sex Elk	April 1	4,000	Sep 05-Oct 18	-	First and second choice only. ArchEquip Only. Valid in multiple HDs as listed under each HD.
Elk B License: 004-00	Antlerless Elk	June 1	6,000	Sep 05-Oct 18	Oct 24-Nov 29	Not valid on National Forest lands, FWP WMAs, or CMR Refuge. Valid in all Region 4 HDs except HDs 410 and 455 as listed under each HD.
HD 432 - Otter Creek						
Deer						
General Deer License	Either-sex Mule Deer	-	-	Sep 05-Oct 18	Oct 24-Nov 29	
	Either-sex White-tailed Deer	-	-	Sep 05-Oct 18	Oct 24-Nov 29	
Deer B License: 004-00	Antlerless White-tailed Deer	OTC: Aug 10	UNL	Sep 05-Oct 18	Oct 24-Nov 29	One per hunter. Valid in all Region 4 HDs except HD 455.
Elk						
General Elk License	Either-sex Elk	-	-	Sep 05-Oct 18	Oct 24-Nov 29	
Elk B License: 004-00	Antlerless Elk	June 1	6,000	Sep 05-Oct 18	Oct 24-Nov 29	Not valid on National Forest lands, FWP WMAs, or CMR Refuge. Valid in all Region 4 HDs except HDs 410 and 455 as listed under each HD.

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HD 441 - North Fork Birch Creek-Teton NOTE: Blackleaf WMA Area Map and Rules available at FWP-R4 HQ 406-454-5840.						
Deer						
General Deer License	Antlered Buck Mule Deer	-	-	Sep 05-Oct 18	Oct 24-Nov 08	
	Either-sex White-tailed Deer	-	-	Sep 05-Oct 18	Oct 24-Nov 29	
	Antlered Buck Mule Deer	-	-	-	Oct 24-Nov 29	Only valid within National Forest boundary.
Deer Permit: 441-50	Antlered Buck Mule Deer	April 1	35	Sep 05-Oct 18	Nov 09-Nov 29	Permit must be used with a valid General Deer License. Holders may not hunt Antlered Buck Mule Deer in any other HD.
Deer B License: 441-00	Antlerless Mule Deer	June 1	50	Sep 05-Oct 18	Nov 09-Nov 29	Not Valid on National Forest Lands.
Deer B License: 004-00	Antlerless White-tailed Deer	OTC: Aug 10	UNL	Sep 05-Oct 18	Oct 24-Nov 29	One per hunter. Valid in all Region 4 HDs except HD 455.
Elk						
General Elk License	Either-sex Elk	-	-	Sep 05-Oct 18	-	
	Antlered Bull Elk	-	-	-	Oct 24-Nov 29	Only valid in Bob Marshall Wilderness.
	Antlerless Elk	-	-	-	Oct 24-Nov 29	
Elk Permit: 441-20	Either-sex Elk	April 1	35	Sep 05-Oct 18	Oct 24-Nov 29	
Elk B License: 004-00	Antlerless Elk	June 1	6,000	Sep 05-Oct 18	Oct 24-Nov 29	Not valid on National Forest lands, FWP WMAs, or CMR Refuge. Valid in all Region 4 HDs except HDs 410 and 455 as listed under each HD.
HD 442 - Sun River NOTE: Ear Mountain WMA Area Map and Rules available at FWP-R4 HQ 406-454-5840.						
Deer						
General Deer License	Antlered Buck Mule Deer	-	-	Sep 05-Oct 18	Oct 24-Nov 29	
	Either-sex Mule Deer	-	-	Sep 05-Oct 18	Oct 24-Nov 29	Only valid outside National Forest boundary and Ear Mtn. WMA.
	Either-sex White-tailed Deer	-	-	Sep 05-Oct 18	Oct 24-Nov 29	
Deer B License: 004-00	Antlerless White-tailed Deer	OTC: Aug 10	UNL	Sep 05-Oct 18	Oct 24-Nov 29	One per hunter. Valid in all Region 4 HDs except HD 455.
Elk						
General Elk License	Brow-tined Bull or Antlerless Elk	-	-	Sep 05-Oct 18	-	
	Antlerless Elk	-	-	-	Oct 24-Oct 27	
	Brow-tined Bull or Antlerless Elk	-	-	-	Oct 28-Nov 29	Quota = 100 antlerless or brow-tined bull elk through the Augusta check station. If quota is reached, the antlerless elk season WITHIN the National Forest boundary will close on 12-hour notice. The brow-tined bull season will remain open until the end of general rifle season.
Elk B License: 442-00	Antlerless Elk	June 1	50	Sep 05-Oct 18	-	Valid in entire HD.
				-	Oct 24-Nov 29	Valid entire HD. If HD 442 quota is reached, licenses would remain valid only OUTSIDE National Forest boundary.
Elk B License: 004-00	Antlerless Elk	June 1	6,000	Sep 05-Oct 18	Oct 24-Nov 29	Not valid on National Forest lands, FWP WMAs, or CMR Refuge. Valid in all Region 4 HDs except HDs 410 and 455 as listed under each HD.

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HD 444 - Lower Sun River						
NOTE: HD 444 Check Restricted Area Legal Description (p 26-27) Freezout Lake WMA, Teton County						
Deer						
General Deer License	Either-sex Mule Deer	-	-	Sep 05-Oct 18	Oct 24-Nov 29	
	Either-sex White-tailed Deer	-	-	Sep 05-Oct 18	Oct 24-Nov 29	
Deer B License: 498-00	Antlerless White-tailed Deer	June 1	400	Sep 05-Oct 18	Oct 24-Nov 29	Valid in HDs 422 and 444.
Deer B License: 004-00	Antlerless White-tailed Deer	OTC: Aug 10	UNL	Sep 05-Oct 18	Oct 24-Nov 29	One per hunter. Valid in all Region 4 HDs except HD 455.
Elk						
General Elk License	Either-sex Elk	-	-	Sep 05-Oct 18	Oct 24-Nov 29	
	Antlerless Elk	-	-	-	Aug 15-Sep 04 Jan 01-Feb 15	Only valid outside National Forest boundary.
Elk B License: 004-00	Antlerless Elk	June 1	6,000	Sep 05-Oct 18	Aug 15-Sep 04 Oct 24-Nov 29 Jan 01-Feb 15	Not valid on National Forest lands, FWP WMAs, or CMR Refuge. Valid in all Region 4 HDs except HDs 410 and 455 as listed under each HD.
HD 445 - Hound Creek						
Deer						
General Deer License	Either-sex Mule Deer	-	-	Sep 05-Oct 18	Oct 24-Nov 29	
	Either-sex White-tailed Deer	-	-	Sep 05-Oct 18	Oct 24-Nov 29	
Deer B License: 445-01	Antlerless Mule Deer	June 1	5	Sep 05-Oct 18	Oct 24-Nov 29	
Deer B License: 496-00	Antlerless White-tailed Deer	June 1	300	Sep 05-Oct 18	Oct 24-Nov 29	Valid in HDs 413 and 445.
Deer B License: 004-00	Antlerless White-tailed Deer	OTC: Aug 10	UNL	Sep 05-Oct 18	Oct 24-Nov 29	One per hunter. Valid in all Region 4 HDs except HD 455.
Elk						
General Elk License	Either-sex Elk	-	-	Sep 05-Oct 18	Oct 24-Nov 08	
	Antlerless Elk	-	-	-	Aug 15-Sep 04 Oct 19-Oct 23 Nov 30-Feb 15	Not Valid on Beartooth WMA
		-	-	-	Nov 09-Nov 29	
Elk Permit: 445-20	Either-sex Elk	April 1	40	Sep 05-Oct 18	Oct 24-Nov 29	
Elk B License: 004-00	Antlerless Elk	June 1	6,000	Sep 05-Oct 18	Aug 15-Sep 04 Oct 24-Feb 15	Not valid on National Forest lands, FWP WMAs, or CMR Refuge. Valid in all Region 4 HDs except HDs 410 and 455 as listed under each HD.
HD 446 - Northeast Big Belt Mountains						
NOTE: HD 446 Check Restricted Area Legal Description (p 26-27) Smith River WMA						
Deer						
General Deer License	Antlered Buck Mule Deer	-	-	Sep 05-Oct 18	Oct 24-Nov 29	
	Either-sex White-tailed Deer	-	-	Sep 05-Oct 18	Oct 24-Nov 29	
Deer B License: 004-00	Antlerless White-tailed Deer	OTC: Aug 10	UNL	Sep 05-Oct 18	Oct 24-Nov 29	One per hunter. Valid in all Region 4 HDs except HD 455.
Elk						
General Elk License	Brow-tined Bull or Antlerless Elk	-	-	Sep 05-Oct 18	Oct 24-Nov 29	
	Antlerless Elk	-	-	-	Aug 15-Sep 04 Oct 19-Oct 23 Nov 30-Feb 15	Not valid on National Forest Land or FWP WMAs.
Elk B License: 004-00	Antlerless Elk	June 1	6,000	Sep 05-Oct 18	Aug 15-Sep 04 Oct 19-Feb 15	Not valid on National Forest lands, FWP WMAs, or CMR Refuge. Valid in all Region 4 HDs except HDs 410 and 455 as listed under each HD.

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HD 447 - Belt-Square Butte						
Deer						
General Deer License	Either-sex Mule Deer	-	-	Sep 05-Oct 18	Oct 24-Nov 29	
	Either-sex White-tailed Deer	-	-	Sep 05-Oct 18	Oct 24-Nov 29	
Deer B License: 447-00	Antlerless Mule Deer	June 1	50	Sep 05-Oct 18	Oct 24-Nov 29	Only valid outside National Forest boundary.
Deer B License: 004-00	Antlerless White-tailed Deer	OTC: Aug 10	UNL	Sep 05-Oct 18	Oct 24-Nov 29	One per hunter. Valid in all Region 4 HDs except HD 455.
Elk						
General Elk License	Antlerless Elk	-	-	Sep 05-Oct 18	Oct 24-Nov 29	
				-	Aug 15-Sep 04 Nov 30-Feb 15	Only valid outside National Forest boundary.
Elk Permit: 447-20	Either-sex Elk	April 1	100	Sep 05-Oct 18	Oct 24-Nov 29	
Elk Permit: 900-20	Either-sex Elk	April 1	4,000	Sep 05-Oct 18	-	First and second choice only. ArchEquip Only. Valid in multiple HDs as listed under each HD.
Elk B License: 004-00	Antlerless Elk	June 1	6,000	Sep 05-Oct 18	Aug 15-Sep 04 Oct 19-Feb 15	Not valid on National Forest lands, FWP WMAs, or CMR Refuge. Valid in all Region 4 HDs except HDs 410 and 455 as listed under each HD.
HD 448 - North Judith Basin-Central Little Belts						
Deer						
General Deer License	Antlered Buck Mule Deer	-	-	Sep 05-Oct 18	Oct 24-Nov 29	
	Either-sex White-tailed Deer	-	-	Sep 05-Oct 18	Oct 24-Nov 29	
Deer B License: 004-00	Antlerless White-tailed Deer	OTC: Aug 10	UNL	Sep 05-Oct 18	Oct 24-Nov 29	One per hunter. Valid in all Region 4 HDs except HD 455.
Elk						
General Elk License	Either-sex Elk	-	-	Sep 05-Oct 18	Oct 24-Nov 29	
Elk B License: 448-00	Antlerless Elk	June 1	150	Sep 05-Oct 18	Oct 24-Nov 29	Only valid in HDs 420 and 448.
Elk B License: 004-00	Antlerless Elk	June 1	6,000	Sep 05-Oct 18	Oct 24-Nov 29	Not valid on National Forest lands, FWP WMAs, or CMR Refuge. Valid in all Region 4 HDs except HDs 410 and 455 as listed under each HD.
HD 450 - Choteau NOTE: HD 450 Check Restricted Area Legal Description (p 26-27) Teton-Spring Creek Cooperative Hunting Area (TSCA)						
Deer						
General Deer License	Either-sex Mule Deer	-	-	Sep 05-Oct 18	Oct 24-Nov 29	
	Either-sex White-tailed Deer	-	-	Sep 05-Oct 18	Oct 24-Nov 29	
Deer B License: 004-00	Antlerless White-tailed Deer	OTC: Aug 10	UNL	Sep 05-Oct 18	Oct 24-Nov 29	One per hunter. Valid in all Region 4 HDs except HD 455.
Elk						
General Elk License	Antlerless Elk	-	-	Sep 05-Oct 18	Oct 24-Nov 29	
Elk Permit: 450-20	Either-sex Elk	April 1	5	Sep 05-Oct 18	Oct 24-Nov 29	
Elk Permit: 900-20	Either-sex Elk	April 1	4,000	Sep 05-Oct 18	-	First and second choice only. ArchEquip Only. Valid in multiple HDs as listed under each HD.
Elk B License: 004-00	Antlerless Elk	June 1	6,000	Sep 05-Oct 18	Oct 24-Nov 29	Not valid on National Forest lands, FWP WMAs, or CMR Refuge. Valid in all Region 4 HDs except HDs 410 and 455 as listed under each HD.

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HD 451 - Southeast Big Belt Mountains						
Deer						
General Deer License	Antlered Buck Mule Deer	-	-	Sep 05-Oct 18	Oct 24-Nov 29	
	Either-sex White-tailed Deer	-	-	Sep 05-Oct 18	Oct 24-Nov 29	
Deer B License: 004-00	Antlerless White-tailed Deer	OTC: Aug 10	UNL	Sep 05-Oct 18	Oct 24-Nov 29	One per hunter. Valid in all Region 4 HDs except HD 455.
Elk						
General Elk License	Brow-tined Bull or Antlerless Elk	-	-	Sep 05-Oct 18	Oct 24-Nov 29	
	Antlerless Elk	-	-	-	Aug 15-Sep 04 Oct 19-Oct 23 Nov 30-Feb 15	Not valid on National Forest Land or FWP WMAs.
Elk B License: 004-00	Antlerless Elk	June 1	6,000	Sep 05-Oct 18	Aug 15-Sep 04 Oct 19-Feb 15	Not valid on National Forest lands, FWP WMAs, or CMR Refuge. Valid in all Region 4 HDs except HDs 410 and 455 as listed under each HD.
HD 452 - Castle Mountains NOTE: Boundary change						
Deer						
General Deer License	Antlered Buck Mule Deer	-	-	Sep 05-Oct 18	Oct 24-Nov 29	
	Either-sex White-tailed Deer	-	-	Sep 05-Oct 18	Oct 24-Nov 29	
Deer B License: 004-00	Antlerless White-tailed Deer	OTC: Aug 10	UNL	Sep 05-Oct 18	Oct 24-Nov 29	One per hunter. Valid in all Region 4 HDs except HD 455.
Elk						
General Elk License	Either-sex Elk	-	-	Sep 05-Oct 18	Oct 24-Nov 29	
	Antlerless Elk	-	-	-	Aug 15-Sep 04 Oct 19-Oct 23 Nov 30-Feb 15	Not valid on National Forest lands or FWP WMAs.
Elk B License: 004-00	Antlerless Elk	June 1	6,000	Sep 05-Oct 18	Aug 15-Sep 04 Oct 19-Feb 15	Not valid on National Forest lands, FWP WMAs, or CMR Refuge. Valid in all Region 4 HDs except HDs 410 and 455 as listed under each HD.
HD 454 - Little Belt Mountains-Southeast						
Deer						
General Deer License	Antlered Buck Mule Deer	-	-	Sep 05-Oct 18	Oct 24-Nov 29	
	Either-sex White-tailed Deer	-	-	Sep 05-Oct 18	Oct 24-Nov 29	
Deer B License: 004-00	Antlerless White-tailed Deer	OTC: Aug 10	UNL	Sep 05-Oct 18	Oct 24-Nov 29	One per hunter. Valid in all Region 4 HDs except HD 455.
Elk						
General Elk License	Either-sex Elk	-	-	Sep 05-Oct 18	Oct 24-Nov 29	
Elk B License: 004-00	Antlerless Elk	June 1	6,000	Sep 05-Oct 18	Oct 24-Nov 29	Not valid on National Forest lands, FWP WMAs, or CMR Refuge. Valid in all Region 4 HDs except HDs 410 and 455 as listed under each HD.
HD 455 - Beartooth WMA NOTE: HD 455 Check Restricted Area Legal Description (p 26-27) Gates of the Mountains Game Preserve NOTE: Special permit required to hunt Antlered Buck Mule Deer. Special permit required to hunt either-sex White-tailed Deer during the rifle season. Beartooth WMA Area Map and Rules available at FWP-R4 HQ 406-454-5840.						
Deer						
General Deer License	Either-sex White-tailed Deer	-	-	Sep 05-Oct 18	-	
Deer Permit: 455-60	Antlered Buck Mule or Either-sex White-tailed Deer	April 1	15	Sep 05-Oct 18	Oct 24-Nov 29	Permit must be used with a valid General Deer License. Holders may not hunt Antlered Buck Mule Deer in any other HD.

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License or Permit	Opportunity	Apply by Date	Quota	Archery Season Dates	Season Dates	Opportunity Specific Details and/or Restrictions
HD 455 - Beartooth WMA - Continued NOTE: HD 455 Check Restricted Area Legal Description (p 26-27) Gates of the Mountains Game Preserve NOTE: Special permit required to hunt Antlered Buck Mule Deer. Special permit required to hunt either-sex White-tailed Deer during the rifle season. Beartooth WMA Area Map and Rules available at FWP-R4 HQ 406-454-5840.						
Elk hunting by drawing only						
Elk Permit: 455-20	Either-sex Elk	April 1	60	Sep 05-Oct 18	Oct 24-Nov 29	
Elk Permit: 900-20	Either-sex Elk	April 1	4,000	Sep 05-Oct 18	-	First and second choice only. ArchEquip Only. Valid in multiple HDs as listed under each HD.
Elk B License: 455-00	Antlerless Elk	June 1	250	Sep 05-Oct 18	Oct 24-Nov 29	Successful 455-00 license holders may use general elk license to harvest 2nd antlerless elk in HD 455.
HD 471 - Geraldine NOTE: Elk numbers are low and elk will be difficult to find.						
Deer						
General Deer License	Either-sex Mule Deer	-	-	Sep 05-Oct 18	Oct 24-Nov 29	
	Either-sex White-tailed Deer	-	-	Sep 05-Oct 18	Oct 24-Nov 29	
Deer B License: 471-00	Antlerless Mule Deer	June 1	50	Sep 05-Oct 18	Oct 24-Nov 29	
Deer B License: 004-00	Antlerless White-tailed Deer	OTC: Aug 10	UNL	Sep 05-Oct 18	Oct 24-Nov 29	One per hunter. Valid in all Region 4 HDs except HD 455.
Elk						
General Elk License	Either-sex Elk	-	-	Sep 05-Oct 18	Oct 24-Nov 29	
Elk B License: 004-00	Antlerless Elk	June 1	6,000	Sep 05-Oct 18	Oct 24-Nov 29	Not valid on National Forest lands, FWP WMAs, or CMR Refuge. Valid in all Region 4 HDs except HDs 410 and 455 as listed under each HD.
Region 5						
HD 500 - Hailstone-Painted Robe						
Deer						
General Deer License	Either-sex Mule Deer	-	-	Sep 05-Oct 18	Oct 24-Nov 29	
	Either-sex White-tailed Deer	-	-	Sep 05-Oct 18	Oct 24-Nov 29	
Deer B License: 500-00	Antlerless Mule Deer	June 1	400	Sep 05-Oct 18	Oct 24-Nov 29	
Deer B License: 597-00	Antlerless White-tailed Deer	June 1	800	Sep 05-Oct 18	Oct 24-Nov 29	Valid in HDs 500, 530, 590. Not valid on National Forest Lands.
Elk						
General Elk License	Spike Bull or Antlerless Elk	-	-	Sep 05-Oct 18	Oct 24-Nov 29	
	Antlerless Elk	-	-	-	Aug 15-Sep 04	Only valid on private land.
		-	-	-	Nov 30-Feb 15	
Elk Permit: 500-20	Either-sex Elk	April 1	80	Sep 05-Oct 18	Oct 24-Nov 29	
Elk Permit: 900-20	Either-sex Elk	April 1	4,000	Sep 05-Oct 18	-	First and second choice only. ArchEquip Only. Valid in multiple HDs as listed under each HD.
Elk B License: 005-00	Antlerless Elk	June 1	2,500	-	Aug 15-Sep 04	Only valid on private land. Valid in Region 5 HDs as listed under each HD.
				Sep 05-Oct 18	Oct 24-Feb 15	Valid in Region 5 HDs as listed under each HD.
Elk B License: 595-00	Antlerless Elk	June 1	3,500	Sep 05-Oct 18	Oct 24-Feb 15	Valid in Region 5 HDs as listed under each HD.

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HD 502 - Crow Line NOTE: CWD has been found in or adjacent to HD 502. For more information about CWD, see page 4.						
Deer						
General Deer License	Either-sex Mule Deer	-	-	Sep 05-Oct 18	Oct 24-Nov 29	
	Either-sex White-tailed Deer	-	-	Sep 05-Oct 18	Oct 24-Nov 29	
Deer B License: 502-00	Antlerless Mule Deer	June 1	150	Sep 05-Oct 18	Oct 24-Nov 29	
Deer B License: 599-00	Antlerless White-tailed Deer	June 1	2,500	Sep 05-Oct 18	Oct 24-Nov 29	Only valid in HDs 502, 510, 520, 560, and 575.
Elk						
General Elk License	Spike Bull or Antlerless Elk	-	-	Sep 05-Oct 18	Oct 24-Nov 29	
Elk Permit: 502-20	Either-sex Elk	April 1	5	Sep 05-Oct 18	Oct 24-Nov 29	Valid in HD 502 and in portion of 510 West of Hwy 310.
Elk Permit: 900-20	Either-sex Elk	April 1	4,000	Sep 05-Oct 18	-	First and second choice only. ArchEquip Only. Valid in multiple HDs as listed under each HD.
Elk B License: 595-00	Antlerless Elk	June 1	3,500	Sep 05-Oct 18	Oct 24-Jan 15	Valid in Region 5 HDs as listed under each HD. 595-00 license holders may also use an unused General Elk License to harvest antlerless elk after general season.
Elk B License: 005-00	Antlerless Elk	June 1	2,500	Sep 05-Oct 18	Oct 24-Nov 29	Valid in Region 5 HDs as listed under each HD
HD 510 - Pryor Mountains NOTE: CWD has been found in or adjacent to HD 510. For more information about CWD, see page 4.						
Deer						
General Deer License	Either-sex Mule Deer	-	-	Sep 05-Oct 18	Oct 24-Nov 29	
	Either-sex White-tailed Deer	-	-	Sep 05-Oct 18	Oct 24-Nov 29	
Deer B License: 510-00	Antlerless Mule Deer	June 1	150	Sep 05-Oct 18	Oct 24-Nov 29	Not valid on National Forest Lands.
Deer B License: 599-00	Antlerless White-tailed Deer	June 1	2,500	Sep 05-Oct 18	Oct 24-Nov 29	Only valid in HDs 502, 510, 520, 560, and 575.
Elk						
General Elk License	Spike Bull or Antlerless Elk	-	-	Sep 05-Oct 18	Oct 24-Nov 29	Only valid west of Hwy 310.
Elk Permit: 502-20	Either-sex Elk	April 1	5	Sep 05-Oct 18	Oct 24-Nov 29	Valid in HD 502 and in portion of 510 West of Hwy 310.
Elk Permit: 900-20	Either-sex Elk	April 1	4,000	Sep 05-Oct 18	-	First and second choice only. ArchEquip Only. Valid in multiple HDs as listed under each HD. Only valid in the portion of 510 west of Hwy 310.
Elk B License: 595-00	Antlerless Elk	June 1	3,500	Sep 05-Oct 18	Oct 24-Jan 15	Only valid west of HWY 310. Valid in Region 5 HDs as listed under each HD. 595-00 license holders may also use an unused General Elk License to harvest antlerless elk after general season.
Elk B License: 005-00	Antlerless Elk	June 1	2,500	Sep 05-Oct 18	Oct 24-Nov 29	Only valid west of Hwy 310. Valid in Region 5 HDs as listed under each HD

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HD 511 - South Big Snowy Mountains						
Deer						
General Deer License	Antlered Buck Mule Deer	-	-	Sep 05-Oct 18	Oct 24-Nov 29	
	Either-sex Mule Deer	-	-	Sep 05-Oct 18	Oct 24-Nov 29	Only youth ages 10-15. Not valid on National Forest Lands.
	Either-sex White-tailed Deer	-	-	Sep 05-Oct 18	Oct 24-Nov 29	
Deer B License: 511-00	Antlerless Mule Deer	June 1	10	Sep 05-Oct 18	Oct 24-Nov 29	Not valid on National Forest Lands.
Deer B License: 598-00	Antlerless White-tailed Deer	June 1	1,200	Sep 05-Oct 18	Oct 24-Nov 29	Only valid in HDs 511, 540, 570, and 580.
Elk						
General Elk License	Spike Bull or Antlerless Elk	-	-	Sep 05-Oct 18	Oct 24-Nov 29	
	Antlerless Elk	-	-	-	Nov 30-Jan 01	Not valid on National Forest Lands.
Elk Permit: 411-20	Either-sex Elk	April 1	300	Sep 05-Oct 18	Oct 24-Nov 29	Only valid in HDs 411, 511 and 530.
Elk Permit: 900-20	Either-sex Elk	April 1	4,000	Sep 05-Oct 18	-	First and second choice only. ArchEquip Only. Valid in multiple HDs as listed under each HD.
Elk B License: 411-00	Antlerless Elk	June 1	1,000	Sep 05-Oct 18	Oct 24-Nov 29	Valid in HDs 411, 511, and 530.
				-	Nov 30-Feb 01	Valid in HDs 411, 511, and 530. 411-00 license holders may also use an unused General Elk License to harvest antlerless elk. 411-00 and General Elk License not valid on National Forest Lands after general season.
Elk B License: 005-00	Antlerless Elk	June 1	2,500	Sep 05-Oct 18	Oct 24-Jan 01	Not valid on National Forest lands. Valid in Region 5 HDs as listed under each HD.
HD 520 - Beartooth Face NOTE: CWD has been found in or adjacent to HD 520. For more information about CWD, see page 4.						
Deer						
General Deer License	Antlered Buck Mule Deer	-	-	Sep 05-Oct 18	Oct 24-Nov 29	West of Highway 212.
	Either-sex Mule Deer	-	-	Sep 05-Oct 18	Oct 24-Nov 29	Only youth ages 10-15. Not valid on National Forest Lands.
		-	-	Sep 05-Oct 18	Oct 24-Nov 29	East of Highway 212
	Either-sex White-tailed Deer	-	-	Sep 05-Oct 18	Oct 24-Nov 29	
Deer B License: 520-00	Antlerless Mule Deer	June 1	150	Sep 05-Oct 18	Oct 24-Nov 29	Not valid on National Forest Lands.
Deer B License: 599-00	Antlerless White-tailed Deer	June 1	2,500	Sep 05-Oct 18	Oct 24-Nov 29	Only valid in HDs 502, 510, 520, 560, and 575.

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HD 520 - Beartooth Face - Continued						
NOTE: CWD has been found in or adjacent to HD 520. For more information about CWD, see page 4.						
Elk						
General Elk License	Antlerless Elk	-	-	Sep 05-Oct 18	-	Only valid south and east of the West Fork of Rock Cr.
	Either-sex Elk	-	-	Sep 05-Oct 18	Oct 24-Nov 29	Only valid north and west of the West Fork of Rock Cr.
Elk Permit: 520-20	Either-sex Elk	April 1	40	Sep 05-Oct 18	Oct 24-Nov 29	Only valid south and east of the West Fork of Rock Cr.
Elk Permit: 900-20	Either-sex Elk	April 1	4,000	Sep 05-Oct 18	-	First and second choice only. ArchEquip Only. Valid in multiple HDs as listed under each HD. Only valid in the portion of 520 south and east of West Fork of Rock Cr.
Elk B License: 520-00	Antlerless Elk	June 1	50	Sep 05-Oct 18	Oct 24-Jan 01	Only valid north and west of the West Fork of Rock Cr.
Elk B License: 520-01	Antlerless Elk	June 1	25	Sep 05-Oct 18	Oct 24-Nov 29	Only valid south and east of the West Fork of Rock Cr.
Elk B License: 595-00	Antlerless Elk	June 1	3,500	Sep 05-Oct 18	Oct 24-Jan 15	Not valid on National Forest Lands or FWP WMAs. Valid in Region 5 HDs as listed under each HD. 595-00 license holders may also use an unused General Elk License to harvest antlerless elk after general season north and west of the West Fork of Rock Cr.
Elk B License: 005-00	Antlerless Elk	June 1	2,500	Sep 05-Oct 18	Oct 24-Nov 29	Not valid on National Forest lands. Valid in Region 5 HDs as listed under each HD.
HD 530 - Little Snowies-Flatwillow Creek						
Deer						
General Deer License	Antlerless Mule Deer	-	-	Sep 05-Oct 18	Oct 24-Nov 29	
	Either-sex White-tailed Deer	-	-	Sep 05-Oct 18	Oct 24-Nov 29	
Deer Permit: 530-50	Antlered Buck Mule Deer	April 1	500	Sep 05-Oct 18	Oct 24-Nov 29	Permit must be used with a valid General Deer License. Holders may not hunt Antlered Buck Mule Deer in any other HD.
Deer B License: 530-00	Antlerless Mule Deer	June 1	200	Sep 05-Oct 18	Oct 24-Nov 29	Not valid on National Forest Lands.
Deer B License: 597-00	Antlerless White-tailed Deer	June 1	800	Sep 05-Oct 18	Oct 24-Nov 29	Valid in HDs 500, 530, 590. Not valid on National Forest Lands.
Elk						
General Elk License	Spike Bull or Antlerless Elk	-	-	Sep 05-Oct 18	Oct 24-Nov 29	
	Antlerless Elk	-	-	-	Nov 30-Jan 01	Not valid on National Forest Lands.
Elk Permit: 411-20	Either-sex Elk	April 1	300	Sep 05-Oct 18	Oct 24-Nov 29	Only valid in HDs 411, 511 and 530.
Elk Permit: 900-20	Either-sex Elk	April 1	4,000	Sep 05-Oct 18	-	First and second choice only. ArchEquip Only. Valid in multiple HDs as listed under each HD.
Elk B License: 411-00	Antlerless Elk	June 1	1,000	Sep 05-Oct 18	Oct 24-Nov 29	Valid in HDs 411, 511, and 530.
				-	Nov 30-Feb 01	Valid in HDs 411, 511, and 530. 411-00 license holders may also use an unused General Elk License to harvest antlerless elk. 411-00 and General Elk License not valid on National Forest Lands after general season.
Elk B License: 005-00	Antlerless Elk	June 1	2,500	Sep 05-Oct 18	Oct 24-Jan 01	Not valid on National Forest lands. Valid in Region 5 HDs as listed under each HD.

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HD 540 - South Little Belt Mountains						
Deer						
General Deer License	Antlered Buck Mule Deer	-	-	Sep 05-Oct 18	Oct 24-Nov 29	
	Either-sex Mule Deer	-	-	Sep 05-Oct 18	Oct 24-Nov 29	Only youth ages 10-15. Not valid on National Forest Lands.
	Either-sex White-tailed Deer	-	-	Sep 05-Oct 18	Oct 24-Nov 29	
Deer B License: 540-00	Antlerless Mule Deer	June 1	10	Sep 05-Oct 18	Oct 24-Nov 29	Not valid on National Forest Lands.
Deer B License: 598-00	Antlerless White-tailed Deer	June 1	1,200	Sep 05-Oct 18	Oct 24-Nov 29	Only valid in HDs 511, 540, 570, and 580.
Elk						
General Elk License	Either-sex Elk	-	-	Sep 05-Oct 18	Oct 24-Nov 29	
Elk B License: 540-00	Antlerless Elk	June 1	100	Sep 05-Oct 18	Oct 24-Jan 01	
Elk B License: 595-00	Antlerless Elk	June 1	3,500	Sep 05-Oct 18	Oct 24-Jan 15	Not valid on National Forest Lands or FWP WMAs. Valid in Region 5 HDs as listed under each HD. 595-00 license holders may also use an unused General Elk License to harvest antlerless elk. 595-00 and General Elk License not valid on National Forest Lands or FWP WMAs after general season.
Elk B License: 005-00	Antlerless Elk	June 1	2,500	Sep 05-Oct 18	Oct 24-Nov 29	Not valid on National Forest lands. Valid in Region 5 HDs as listed under each HD.
HD 560 - Boulder River-Deer Creeks						
Deer						
General Deer License	Antlered Buck Mule Deer	-	-	Sep 05-Oct 18	Oct 24-Nov 29	
	Either-sex Mule Deer	-	-	Sep 05-Oct 18	Oct 24-Nov 29	Only youth ages 10-15. Not valid on National Forest Lands.
	Either-sex White-tailed Deer	-	-	Sep 05-Oct 18	Oct 24-Nov 29	
Deer B License: 560-00	Antlerless Mule Deer	June 1	40	Sep 05-Oct 18	Oct 24-Nov 29	Not valid on National Forest Lands.
Deer B License: 599-00	Antlerless White-tailed Deer	June 1	2,500	Sep 05-Oct 18	Oct 24-Nov 29	Only valid in HDs 502, 510, 520, 560, and 575.
Elk						
General Elk License	Either-sex Elk	-	-	Sep 05-Oct 18	-	
	Antlered Bull Elk	-	-	-	Oct 24-Nov 29	Valid in the Main Boulder River drainage south of Falls Cr.
	Either-sex Elk	-	-	-	Oct 24-Nov 29	Only youth ages 12-15.
		-	-	-	Oct 24-Nov 29	Valid throughout the HD except for that portion in the Main Boulder River drainage south of Falls Cr.
Elk B License: 560-00	Antlerless Elk	June 1	50	Sep 05-Oct 18	Oct 24-Jan 01	Not valid in that portion in the Main Boulder River drainage south of Falls Creek.
Elk B License: 595-00	Antlerless Elk	June 1	3,500	Sep 05-Oct 18	Oct 24-Jan 15	Not valid on National Forest Lands, or in the Main Boulder River drainage south of Falls Cr. Valid in Region 5 HDs as listed under each HD. 595-00 license holders may also use an unused General Elk License to harvest antlerless elk. 595-00 and General Elk License not valid on National Forest Lands after general season.
Elk B License: 005-00	Antlerless Elk	June 1	2,500	Sep 05-Oct 18	Oct 24-Nov 29	Not valid on National Forest lands. Not valid in that portion in the Main Boulder River drainage south of Falls Cr. Valid in Region 5 HDs as listed under each HD.

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License or Permit	Opportunity	Apply by Date	Quota	Archery Season Dates	Season Dates	Opportunity Specific Details and/or Restrictions
HD 570 - Sweet Grass						
Deer						
General Deer License	Either-sex Mule Deer	-	-	Sep 05-Oct 18	Oct 24-Nov 29	
	Either-sex White-tailed Deer	-	-	Sep 05-Oct 18	Oct 24-Nov 29	
Deer B License: 570-00	Antlerless Mule Deer	June 1	40	Sep 05-Oct 18	Oct 24-Nov 29	
Deer B License: 598-00	Antlerless White-tailed Deer	June 1	1,200	Sep 05-Oct 18	Oct 24-Nov 29	Only valid in HDs 511, 540, 570, and 580.
Elk						
General Elk License	Antlerless Elk	-	-	-	Aug 15-Sep 04	Only valid on private lands.
	Spike Bull or Antlerless Elk	-	-	Sep 05-Oct 18	Oct 24-Nov 29	
	Antlerless Elk	-	-	-	Nov 30-Feb 15	
Elk Permit: 570-20	Either-sex Elk	April 1	65	Sep 05-Oct 18	Oct 24-Nov 29	
Elk Permit: 900-20	Either-sex Elk	April 1	4,000	Sep 05-Oct 18	-	First and second choice only. ArchEquip Only. Valid in multiple HDs as listed under each HD.
Elk B License: 595-00	Antlerless Elk	June 1	3,500	Sep 05-Oct 18	Oct 24-Feb 15	Valid in Region 5 HDs as listed under each HD.
Elk B License: 005-00	Antlerless Elk	June 1	2,500	-	Aug 15-Sep 04	Only valid on private land. Valid in Region 5 HDs as listed under each HD.
				Sep 05-Oct 18	Oct 24-Feb 15	Valid in Region 5 HDs as listed under each HD.
HD 575 - Absarokee NOTE: CWD has been found in or adjacent to HD 575. For more information about CWD, see page 4.						
Deer						
General Deer License	Antlered Buck Mule Deer	-	-	Sep 05-Oct 18	Oct 24-Nov 29	
	Either-sex Mule Deer	-	-	Sep 05-Oct 18	Oct 24-Nov 29	Only youth ages 10-15.
	Either-sex White-tailed Deer	-	-	Sep 05-Oct 18	Oct 24-Nov 29	
Deer B License: 575-00	Antlerless Mule Deer	June 1	500	Sep 05-Oct 18	Oct 24-Nov 29	
Deer B License: 599-00	Antlerless White-tailed Deer	June 1	2,500	Sep 05-Oct 18	Oct 24-Nov 29	Only valid in HDs 502, 510, 520, 560, and 575.
Elk						
General Elk License	Spike Bull or Antlerless Elk	-	-	Sep 05-Oct 18	Oct 24-Nov 29	
Elk Permit: 575-20	Either-sex Elk	April 1	20	Sep 05-Oct 18	Oct 24-Nov 29	
Elk Permit: 900-20	Either-sex Elk	April 1	4,000	Sep 05-Oct 18	-	First and second choice only. ArchEquip Only. Valid in multiple HDs as listed under each HD.
Elk B License: 595-00	Antlerless Elk	June 1	3,500	Sep 05-Oct 18	Oct 24-Jan 15	Valid in Region 5 HDs as listed under each HD. 595-00 license holders may also use an unused General Elk License to harvest antlerless elk after general season.
Elk B License: 005-00	Antlerless Elk	June 1	2,500	Sep 05-Oct 18	Oct 24-Nov 29	Valid in Region 5 HDs as listed under each HD.

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HD 580 - East Slope Crazy Mountains						
Deer						
General Deer License	Antlered Buck Mule Deer	-	-	Sep 05-Oct 18	Oct 24-Nov 29	
	Either-sex Mule Deer	-	-	Sep 05-Oct 18	Oct 24-Nov 29	Only youth ages 10-15. Not valid on National Forest Lands.
	Either-sex White-tailed Deer	-	-	Sep 05-Oct 18	Oct 24-Nov 29	
Deer B License: 580-00	Antlerless Mule Deer	June 1	40	Sep 05-Oct 18	Oct 24-Nov 29	Not Valid on National Forest Lands
Deer B License: 598-00	Antlerless White-tailed Deer	June 1	1,200	Sep 05-Oct 18	Oct 24-Nov 29	Only valid in HDs 511, 540, 570, and 580.
Elk						
General Elk License	Either-sex Elk	-	-	Sep 05-Oct 18	Oct 24-Nov 29	Valid north of Sweet Grass Cr.
	Spike Bull or Antlerless Elk	-	-	Sep 05-Oct 18	Oct 24-Nov 29	Valid south of Sweet Grass Cr.
Elk Permit: 580-20	Either-sex Elk	April 1	80	Sep 05-Oct 18	Oct 24-Nov 29	Valid South of Sweet Grass Cr.
Elk Permit: 900-20	Either-sex Elk	April 1	4,000	Sep 05-Oct 18	-	First and second choice only. ArchEquip Only. Valid in multiple HDs as listed under each HD. Only valid in the portion of 580 south of Sweetgrass Cr.
Elk B License: 580-00	Antlerless Elk	June 1	100	Sep 05-Oct 18	Oct 24-Jan 01	
Elk B License: 595-00	Antlerless Elk	June 1	3,500	Sep 05-Oct 18	Oct 24-Jan 15	Not valid on National Forest Lands. Valid in Region 5 HDs as listed under each HD. 595-00 license holders may also use an unused General Elk License to harvest antlerless elk. 595-00 and General Elk License not valid on National Forest Lands after general season.
Elk B License: 005-00	Antlerless Elk	June 1	2,500	Sep 05-Oct 18	Oct 24-Nov 29	Not valid on National Forest lands. Valid in Region 5 HDs as listed under each HD.
HD 590 - Bull Mountains-Pine Ridge NOTE: CWD has been found in or adjacent to HD 590. For more information about CWD, see page 4.						
Deer						
General Deer License	Either-sex Mule Deer	-	-	Sep 05-Oct 18	Oct 24-Nov 29	
	Either-sex White-tailed Deer	-	-	Sep 05-Oct 18	Oct 24-Nov 29	
Deer B License: 590-00	Antlerless Mule Deer	June 1	100	Sep 05-Oct 18	Oct 24-Nov 29	
Deer B License: 597-00	Antlerless White-tailed Deer	June 1	800	Sep 05-Oct 18	Oct 24-Nov 29	Valid in HDs 500, 530, 590. Not valid on National Forest Lands.
Elk						
General Elk License	Spike Bull or Antlerless Elk	-	-	Sep 05-Oct 18	Oct 24-Nov 29	
Elk Permit: 590-20	Either-sex Elk	April 1	250	Sep 05-Oct 18	Oct 24-Nov 29	Valid in HD 590 north of Yellowstone River and portion of HD 701 north of the Yellowstone River, south of Hwy 12 and west of Sumatra-Hysham Rd.
Elk Permit: 590-21	Either-sex Elk	April 1	80	Sep 05-Oct 18	Oct 24-Nov 29	Only valid south of Yellowstone River.
Elk Permit: 900-20	Either-sex Elk	April 1	4,000	Sep 05-Oct 18	-	First and second choice only. ArchEquip Only. Valid in multiple HDs as listed under each HD.
Elk B License: 595-00	Antlerless Elk	June 1	3,500	Sep 05-Oct 18	Oct 24-Jan 15	Valid in Region 5 HDs as listed under each HD. 595-00 license holders may also use an unused General Elk License to harvest antlerless elk after general season.
Elk B License: 005-00	Antlerless Elk	June 1	2,500	Sep 05-Oct 18	Oct 24-Nov 29	Valid in Region 5 HDs as listed under each HD.

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Region 6						
HD 600 - North Hill-Blaine						
NOTE: CWD has been found in or adjacent to HD 600. For more information about CWD, see page 4. NOTE: HD 600 Check Restricted Area Legal Description (p 26-27) Rookery WMA Weapons Restriction Area						
Deer						
General Deer License	Either-sex Mule Deer	-	-	Sep 05-Oct 18	Oct 24-Nov 29	
	Either-sex White-tailed Deer	-	-	Sep 05-Oct 18	Oct 24-Nov 29	
Deer B License: 600-01	Antlerless Mule Deer	June 1	600	Sep 05-Oct 18	Oct 24-Nov 29	
Deer B License: 699-00	Antlerless White-tailed Deer	June 1	3000	Sep 05-Oct 18	Oct 24-Nov 29	Valid in all R6 HDs
Deer B License: 006-00	Antlerless White-tailed Deer	OTC: Aug 10	UNL	Sep 05-Oct 18	Oct 24-Nov 29	One per hunter. Valid in all R6 HDs
Elk						
General Elk License	Either-sex Elk	-	-	Sep 05-Oct 18	Oct 24-Nov 29	
HD 620 - South Phillips						
NOTE: HD 620 Check Restricted Area Legal Description (p 26-27) Bowdoin NWR closed hunting of big game						
Deer						
General Deer License	Either-sex Mule Deer	-	-	Sep 05-Oct 18	Oct 24-Nov 29	
	Either-sex White-tailed Deer	-	-	Sep 05-Oct 18	Oct 24-Nov 29	
Deer B License: 620-00	Antlerless Mule Deer	June 1	500	Sep 05-Oct 18	Oct 24-Nov 29	Valid in HDs 620, 621, and 622.
Deer B License: 699-00	Antlerless White-tailed Deer	June 1	3000	Sep 05-Oct 18	Oct 24-Nov 29	Valid in all R6 HDs
Deer B License: 006-00	Antlerless White-tailed Deer	OTC: Aug 10	UNL	Sep 05-Oct 18	Oct 24-Nov 29	One per hunter. Valid in all R6 HDs
Elk Hunting by Drawing Only						
Elk Permit: 620-20	Either-sex Elk	April 1	60	-	Oct 24-Nov 29	Only valid in HDs 620, 621 and 622. Not valid on CMR refuge.
Elk Permit: 620-21	Either-sex Elk	April 1	1400	Sep 05-Oct 18	-	Only valid in HDs 620, 621, and 622.
Elk Permit: 698-00	Antlerless Elk	April 1	300	Sep 05-Oct 18	Oct 24-Nov 29	Valid in HDs 620, 621, 622. Not valid on CMR refuge.
Elk B License: 621-01	Antlerless Elk	June 1	250	Sep 05-Oct 18	Oct 24-Nov 29	Only valid in HD 620 and HD 621.
Elk B License: 622-00	Antlerless Elk	June 1	500	Sep 05-Oct 18	Oct 24-Nov 29	Only valid in HDs 620 and 622.
Elk B License: 699-00	Antlerless Elk	June 1	500	-	Dec 15-Feb 15	Only valid in HDs 620, 621, and 622. Not valid on CMR refuge.
Elk B License: 699-01	Antlerless Elk	June 1	200	-	Oct 22-Nov 29	Only youth ages 12-15. Only valid in HDs 620, 621, 622, 630, 631, 632, and 690.

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HD 621 - Upper Missouri Breaks-West						
NOTE: HD 621 Check Restricted Area Legal Description (p 26-27) CMR National Wildlife Refuge, Slippery Ann elk viewing area closed to all hunting per refuge regulation 406-538-8706.; Charles M. Russell (CMR) National Wildlife Refuge and U.S. Army Corps of Engineers; UL Bend National Wildlife Refuge. NOTE: Elk hunters in HDs 621 and 622 may also hunt on islands in the Missouri River adjacent to where their elk permit is valid. Island is defined as land completely surrounded by water at the time of the hunt.						
Deer						
General Deer License	Either-sex Mule Deer	-	-	Sep 05-Oct 18	Oct 24-Nov 29	
	Either-sex White-tailed Deer	-	-	Sep 05-Oct 18	Oct 24-Nov 29	
Deer B License: 620-00	Antlerless Mule Deer	June 1	500	Sep 05-Oct 18	Oct 24-Nov 29	Valid in HDs 620, 621, and 622.
Deer B License: 699-00	Antlerless White-tailed Deer	June 1	3000	Sep 05-Oct 18	Oct 24-Nov 29	Valid in all R6 HDs
Deer B License: 006-00	Antlerless White-tailed Deer	OTC: Aug 10	UNL	Sep 05-Oct 18	Oct 24-Nov 29	One per hunter. Valid in all R6 HDs
Elk Hunting by Drawing Only						
Elk Permit: 620-20	Either-sex Elk	April 1	60	-	Oct 24-Nov 29	Only valid in HDs 620, 621 and 622. Not valid on CMR refuge.
Elk Permit: 620-21	Either-sex Elk	April 1	1400	Sep 05-Oct 18	-	Only valid in HDs 620, 621, and 622.
Elk Permit: 621-20	Either-sex Elk	April 1	50	-	Oct 24-Nov 29	
Elk Permit: 698-00	Antlerless Elk	April 1	300	Sep 05-Oct 18	Oct 24-Nov 29	Valid in HDs 620, 621, 622. Not valid on CMR refuge.
Elk B License: 621-01	Antlerless Elk	June 1	250	Sep 05-Oct 18	Oct 24-Nov 29	Only valid in HD 620 and HD 621.
Elk B License: 699-00	Antlerless Elk	June 1	500	-	Dec 15-Feb 15	Only valid in HDs 620, 621, and 622. Not valid on CMR refuge.
Elk B License: 699-01	Antlerless Elk	June 1	200	-	Oct 22-Nov 29	Only youth ages 12-15. Only valid in HDs 620, 621, 622, 630, 631, 632, and 690.
HD 622 - Middle Missouri Breaks						
NOTE: HD 622 Check Restricted Area Legal Description (p 26-27) Charles M. Russell (CMR) National Wildlife Refuge and U.S. Army Corps of Engineers; UL Bend National Wildlife Refuge NOTE: Elk hunters in HDs 621 and 622 may also hunt on islands in the Missouri River adjacent to where their elk permit is valid. Island is defined as land completely surrounded by water at the time of the hunt.						
Deer						
General Deer License	Either-sex Mule Deer	-	-	Sep 05-Oct 18	Oct 24-Nov 29	
	Either-sex White-tailed Deer	-	-	Sep 05-Oct 18	Oct 24-Nov 29	
Deer B License: 620-00	Antlerless Mule Deer	June 1	500	Sep 05-Oct 18	Oct 24-Nov 29	Valid in HDs 620, 621, and 622.
Deer B License: 699-00	Antlerless White-tailed Deer	June 1	3000	Sep 05-Oct 18	Oct 24-Nov 29	Valid in all R6 HDs
Deer B License: 006-00	Antlerless White-tailed Deer	OTC: Aug 10	UNL	Sep 05-Oct 18	Oct 24-Nov 29	One per hunter. Valid in all R6 HDs
Elk Hunting by Drawing Only						
Elk Permit: 620-20	Either-sex Elk	April 1	60	-	Oct 24-Nov 29	Only valid in HDs 620, 621 and 622. Not valid on CMR refuge.
Elk Permit: 620-21	Either-sex Elk	April 1	1400	Sep 05-Oct 18	-	Only valid in HDs 620, 621, and 622.
Elk Permit: 622-20	Either-sex Elk	April 1	50	-	Oct 24-Nov 29	
Elk Permit: 698-00	Antlerless Elk	April 1	300	Sep 05-Oct 18	Oct 24-Nov 29	Valid in HDs 620, 621, 622. Not valid on CMR refuge.
Elk B License: 622-00	Antlerless Elk	June 1	500	Sep 05-Oct 18	Oct 24-Nov 29	Only valid in HDs 620 and 622.
Elk B License: 699-00	Antlerless Elk	June 1	500	-	Dec 15-Feb 15	Only valid in HDs 620, 621, and 622. Not valid on CMR refuge.
Elk B License: 699-01	Antlerless Elk	June 1	200	-	Oct 22-Nov 29	Only youth ages 12-15. Only valid in HDs 620, 621, 622, 630, 631, 632, and 690.

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HD 630 - South Valley						
NOTE: CWD has been found in or adjacent to HD 630. For more information about CWD, see page 4. NOTE: HD 630 Check Restricted Area Legal Description (p 26-27) Charles M. Russell (CMR) National Wildlife Refuge and U.S. Army Corps of Engineers						
Deer						
General Deer License	Either-sex Mule Deer	-	-	Sep 05-Oct 18	Oct 24-Nov 29	
	Either-sex White-tailed Deer	-	-	Sep 05-Oct 18	Oct 24-Nov 29	
Deer B License: 630-00	Antlerless Mule Deer	June 1	600	Sep 05-Oct 18	Oct 24-Nov 29	Valid in HDs 630, 631, and 632.
Deer B License: 699-00	Antlerless White-tailed Deer	June 1	3000	Sep 05-Oct 18	Oct 24-Nov 29	Valid in all R6 HDs
Deer B License: 006-00	Antlerless White-tailed Deer	OTC: Aug 10	UNL	Sep 05-Oct 18	Oct 24-Nov 29	One per hunter. Valid in all R6 HDs
Elk Hunting by Drawing Only						
Elk Permit: 631-20	Either-sex Elk	April 1	30	-	Oct 24-Nov 29	Only valid in HDs 630 and 631.
Elk Permit: 631-21	Either-sex Elk	April 1	200	Sep 05-Oct 18	-	Only valid in HDs 630 and 631.
Elk Permit: 632-20	Either-sex Elk	April 1	10	-	Oct 24-Nov 29	Only valid in HDs 630 and 632.
Elk Permit: 632-21	Either-sex Elk	April 1	100	Sep 05-Oct 18	-	Only valid in HDs 630 and 632.
Elk B License: 631-00	Antlerless Elk	June 1	65	Sep 05-Oct 18	Oct 24-Nov 29	Only valid in HDs 630 and 631.
Elk B License: 632-00	Antlerless Elk	June 1	10	Sep 05-Oct 18	Oct 24-Nov 29	Only valid in HDs 630 and 632.
Elk B License: 699-01	Antlerless Elk	June 1	200	-	Oct 22-Nov 29	Only youth ages 12-15. Only valid in HDs 620, 621, 622, 630, 631, 632, and 690.
HD 631 - Lower Missouri Breaks-West						
NOTE: HD 631 Check Restricted Area Legal Description (p 26-27) Charles M. Russell (CMR) National Wildlife Refuge and U.S. Army Corps of Engineers						
Deer						
General Deer License	Either-sex Mule Deer	-	-	Sep 05-Oct 18	Oct 24-Nov 29	
	Either-sex White-tailed Deer	-	-	Sep 05-Oct 18	Oct 24-Nov 29	
Deer B License: 630-00	Antlerless Mule Deer	June 1	600	Sep 05-Oct 18	Oct 24-Nov 29	Valid in HDs 630, 631, and 632.
Deer B License: 699-00	Antlerless White-tailed Deer	June 1	3000	Sep 05-Oct 18	Oct 24-Nov 29	Valid in all R6 HDs
Deer B License: 006-00	Antlerless White-tailed Deer	OTC: Aug 10	UNL	Sep 05-Oct 18	Oct 24-Nov 29	One per hunter. Valid in all R6 HDs
Elk Hunting by Drawing Only						
Elk Permit: 631-20	Either-sex Elk	April 1	30	-	Oct 24-Nov 29	Only valid in HDs 630 and 631.
Elk Permit: 631-21	Either-sex Elk	April 1	200	Sep 05-Oct 18	-	Only valid in HDs 630 and 631.
Elk B License: 631-00	Antlerless Elk	June 1	65	-	Oct 24-Nov 29	Only valid in HDs 630 and 631.
Elk B License: 699-01	Antlerless Elk	June 1	200	-	Oct 22-Nov 29	Only youth ages 12-15. Only valid in HDs 620, 621, 622, 630, 631, 632, and 690.
HD 632 - Lower Missouri Breaks-East						
NOTE: HD 632 Check Restricted Area Legal Description (p 26-27) Charles M. Russell (CMR) National Wildlife Refuge and U.S. Army Corps of Engineers						
Deer						
General Deer License	Either-sex Mule Deer	-	-	Sep 05-Oct 18	Oct 24-Nov 29	
	Either-sex White-tailed Deer	-	-	Sep 05-Oct 18	Oct 24-Nov 29	
Deer B License: 630-00	Antlerless Mule Deer	June 1	600	Sep 05-Oct 18	Oct 24-Nov 29	Valid in HDs 630, 631, and 632.
Deer B License: 699-00	Antlerless White-tailed Deer	June 1	3000	Sep 05-Oct 18	Oct 24-Nov 29	Valid in all R6 HDs
Deer B License: 006-00	Antlerless White-tailed Deer	OTC: Aug 10	UNL	Sep 05-Oct 18	Oct 24-Nov 29	One per hunter. Valid in all R6 HDs
Elk Hunting by Drawing Only						
Elk Permit: 632-20	Either-sex Elk	April 1	10	-	Oct 24-Nov 29	Only valid in HDs 630 and 632.
Elk Permit: 632-21	Either-sex Elk	April 1	100	Sep 05-Oct 18	-	Only valid in HDs 630 and 632.
Elk B License: 632-00	Antlerless Elk	June 1	10	-	Oct 24-Nov 29	Only valid in HDs 630 and 632.
Elk B License: 699-01	Antlerless Elk	June 1	200	-	Oct 22-Nov 29	Only youth ages 12-15. Only valid in HDs 620, 621, 622, 630, 631, 632, and 690.

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HD 640 - Northeast Montana						
NOTE: CWD has been found in or adjacent to HD 640. For more information about CWD, see page 4. Elk numbers are low and will be difficult to find.						
Deer						
General Deer License	Either-sex Mule Deer	-	-	Sep 05-Oct 18	Oct 24-Nov 29	
	Either-sex White-tailed Deer	-	-	Sep 05-Oct 18	Oct 24-Nov 29	
Deer B License: 640-00	Antlerless Mule Deer	June 1	1000	Sep 05-Oct 18	Oct 24-Nov 29	
Deer B License: 699-00	Antlerless White-tailed Deer	June 1	3000	Sep 05-Oct 18	Oct 24-Nov 29	Valid in all R6 HDs
Deer B License: 006-00	Antlerless White-tailed Deer	OTC: Aug 10	UNL	Sep 05-Oct 18	Oct 24-Nov 29	One per hunter. Valid in all R6 HDs
Elk						
General Elk License	Either-sex Elk	-	-	Sep 05-Oct 18	Oct 24-Nov 29	
HD 650 - McCone-Richland						
NOTE: CWD has been found in or adjacent to HD 650. For more information about CWD, see page 4. NOTE: HD 650 Check Restricted Area Legal Description (p 26-27) Charles M. Russell (CMR) National Wildlife Refuge and U.S. Army Corps of Engineers NOTE: Elk numbers are low and will be difficult to find.						
Deer						
General Deer License	Either-sex Mule Deer	-	-	Sep 05-Oct 18	Oct 24-Nov 29	
	Either-sex White-tailed Deer	-	-	Sep 05-Oct 18	Oct 24-Nov 29	
Deer B License: 650-00	Antlerless Mule Deer	June 1	800	Sep 05-Oct 18	Oct 24-Nov 29	
Deer B License: 699-00	Antlerless White-tailed Deer	June 1	3000	Sep 05-Oct 18	Oct 24-Nov 29	Valid in all R6 HDs
Deer B License: 006-00	Antlerless White-tailed Deer	OTC: Aug 10	UNL	Sep 05-Oct 18	Oct 24-Nov 29	One per hunter. Valid in all R6 HDs
Elk						
General Elk License	Either-sex Elk	-	-	Sep 05-Oct 18	Oct 24-Nov 29	
HD 652 - McCone-Garfield						
NOTE: HD 652 Check Restricted Area Legal Description (p 26-27) Charles M. Russell (CMR) National Wildlife Refuge and U.S. Army Corps of Engineers NOTE: Elk numbers are low and will be difficult to find.						
Deer						
General Deer License	Either-sex White-tailed Deer	-	-	Sep 05-Oct 18	Oct 24-Nov 29	
Deer Permit: 652-50	Antlered Buck Mule Deer	April 1	100	Sep 05-Oct 18	Oct 24-Nov 29	Permit must be used with a valid General Deer License. Holders may not hunt Antlered Buck Mule Deer in any other HD.
Deer B License: 652-01	Antlerless Mule Deer	June 1	100	Sep 05-Oct 18	Oct 24-Nov 29	
Deer B License: 699-00	Antlerless White-tailed Deer	June 1	3000	Sep 05-Oct 18	Oct 24-Nov 29	Valid in all R6 HDs
Deer B License: 006-00	Antlerless White-tailed Deer	OTC: Aug 10	UNL	Sep 05-Oct 18	Oct 24-Nov 29	One per hunter. Valid in all R6 HDs
Elk						
General Elk License	Either-sex Elk	-	-	Sep 05-Oct 18	Oct 24-Nov 29	
HD 670 - North Phillips-Valley						
NOTE: CWD has been found in or adjacent to HD 670. For more information about CWD, see page 4. Elk numbers are low and will be difficult to find.						
Deer						
General Deer License	Either-sex Mule Deer	-	-	Sep 05-Oct 18	Oct 24-Nov 29	
	Either-sex White-tailed Deer	-	-	Sep 05-Oct 18	Oct 24-Nov 29	
Deer B License: 670-00	Antlerless Mule Deer	June 1	1500	Sep 05-Oct 18	Oct 24-Nov 29	
Deer B License: 699-00	Antlerless White-tailed Deer	June 1	3000	Sep 05-Oct 18	Oct 24-Nov 29	Valid in all R6 HDs
Deer B License: 006-00	Antlerless White-tailed Deer	OTC: Aug 10	UNL	Sep 05-Oct 18	Oct 24-Nov 29	One per hunter. Valid in all R6 HDs
Elk						
General Elk License	Either-sex Elk	-	-	Sep 05-Oct 18	Oct 24-Nov 29	

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HD 690 - South Hill-Blaine-Choteau						
NOTE: CWD has been found in or adjacent to HD 690. For more information about CWD, see page 4. NOTE: Elk primarily found on private land. Public access may be difficult and limited.						
Deer						
General Deer License	Either-sex Mule Deer	-	-	Sep 05-Oct 18	Oct 24-Nov 29	
	Either-sex White-tailed Deer	-	-	Sep 05-Oct 18	Oct 24-Nov 29	
Deer B License: 690-00	Antlerless Mule Deer	June 1	1,200	Sep 05-Oct 18	Oct 24-Nov 29	
Deer B License: 699-00	Antlerless White-tailed Deer	June 1	3000	Sep 05-Oct 18	Oct 24-Nov 29	Valid in all R6 HDs
Deer B License: 006-00	Antlerless White-tailed Deer	OTC: Aug 10	UNL	Sep 05-Oct 18	Oct 24-Nov 29	One per hunter. Valid in all R6 HDs
Elk						
General Elk License	Antlerless Elk	-	-	-	Oct 24-Nov 29	
Elk Permit: 690-20	Either-sex Elk	April 1	35	-	Oct 24-Nov 29	
Elk Permit: 690-21	Either-sex Elk	April 1	50	Sep 05-Oct 18	-	
Elk B License: 690-01	Antlerless Elk	June 1	150	-	Oct 24-Nov 29 Dec 15-Feb 15	
Elk B License: 699-01	Antlerless Elk	June 1	200	-	Oct 22-Nov 29	Only youth ages 12-15. Only valid in HDs 620, 621, 622, 630, 631, 632, and 690.
Region 7						
HD 700 - Missouri Breaks-Prairie						
NOTE: HD 700 Check Restricted Area Legal Description (p 26-27) Charles M. Russell (CMR) National Wildlife Refuge and U.S. Army Corps of Engineers NOTE: Public access to elk is limited and difficult.						
Deer						
General Deer License	Either-sex Mule Deer	-	-	Sep 05-Oct 18	Oct 24-Nov 29	
	Either-sex White-tailed Deer	-	-	Sep 05-Oct 18	Oct 24-Nov 29	
Deer B License: 007-00	Antlerless White-tailed Deer	OTC: Aug 10	UNL	Sep 05-Oct 18	Oct 24-Nov 29	One per hunter. Antlerless White-tailed Deer B License. Valid in all Region 7 HDs.
Deer B License: 007-01	Antlerless White-tailed Deer	OTC: Aug 10	2,000	Sep 05-Oct 18	Oct 24-Nov 29	Residents only. 2nd Antlerless White-tailed Deer B License. Valid in all Region 7 HDs.
Deer B License: 007-03	Antlerless Mule Deer	June 1	11000	Sep 05-Oct 18	Oct 24-Nov 29	Valid in all Region 7 HDS
Elk Hunting by Drawing Only						
Elk Permit: 700-20	Either-sex Elk	April 1	250	Sep 05-Oct 18	Oct 24-Nov 29	
Elk Permit: 700-21	Either-sex Elk	April 1	705	Sep 05-Oct 18	-	
Elk B License: 700-00	Antlerless Elk	June 1	700	Sep 05-Oct 18	Oct 24-Nov 29	
Elk B License: 007-00	Antlerless Elk	June 1	800	Sep 05-Oct 18	-	Valid in all Region 7 HDS.
				-	Oct 24-Nov 29	Not valid on National Forest lands or CMR Refuge. Valid in all Region 7 HDS.
HD 701 - Sagebrush Prairie						
NOTE: CWD has been found in or adjacent to HD 701. For more information about CWD, see page 4. NOTE: Elk numbers are low and primarily found on private land. Public access may be difficult and limited.						
Deer						
General Deer License	Either-sex Mule Deer	-	-	Sep 05-Oct 18	Oct 24-Nov 29	
	Either-sex White-tailed Deer	-	-	Sep 05-Oct 18	Oct 24-Nov 29	
Deer B License: 007-00	Antlerless White-tailed Deer	OTC: Aug 10	UNL	Sep 05-Oct 18	Oct 24-Nov 29	One per hunter. Antlerless White-tailed Deer B License. Valid in all Region 7 HDs.
Deer B License: 007-01	Antlerless White-tailed Deer	OTC: Aug 10	2,000	Sep 05-Oct 18	Oct 24-Nov 29	Residents only. 2nd Antlerless White-tailed Deer B License. Valid in all Region 7 HDs.
Deer B License: 007-03	Antlerless Mule Deer	June 1	11000	Sep 05-Oct 18	Oct 24-Nov 29	Valid in all Region 7 HDS

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License or Permit	Opportunity	Apply by Date	Quota	Archery Season Dates	Season Dates	Opportunity Specific Details and/or Restrictions
HD 701 - Sagebrush Prairie - Continued						
NOTE: CWD has been found in or adjacent to HD 701. For more information about CWD, see page 4. NOTE: Elk numbers are low and primarily found on private land. Public access may be difficult and limited.						
Elk						
General Elk License	Either-sex Elk	-	-	Sep 05-Oct 18	Oct 24-Nov 29	Exception: In portion of HD 701 north of Yellowstone River, south of Hwy 12 and west of Sumatra-Hysham Rd only valid for Spike Bull or Antlerless Elk.
Elk Permit: 590-20	Either-sex Elk	April 1	250	Sep 05-Oct 18	Oct 24-Nov 29	Valid in HD 590 north of Yellowstone River and portion of HD 701 north of the Yellowstone River, south of Hwy 12 and west of Sumatra-Hysham Rd.
Elk Permit: 900-20	Either-sex Elk	April 1	4,000	Sep 05-Oct 18	-	First and second choice only. ArchEquip Only. Valid in multiple HDs as listed under each HD. Only valid in that portion of 701 north of the Yellowstone River, south of Hwy 12 and west of Sumatra-Hysham Road.
Elk B License: 007-00	Antlerless Elk	June 1	800	Sep 05-Oct 18	-	Valid in all Region 7 HDS.
				-	Oct 24-Nov 29	Not valid on National Forest lands or CMR Refuge. Valid in all Region 7 HDS.
HD 702 - Yellowstone Pine Hills						
NOTE: CWD has been found in or adjacent to HD 702. For more information about CWD, see page 4. NOTE: Elk primarily found on private land. Public access may be difficult and limited.						
Deer						
General Deer License	Either-sex Mule Deer	-	-	Sep 05-Oct 18	Oct 24-Nov 29	
	Either-sex White-tailed Deer	-	-	Sep 05-Oct 18	Oct 24-Nov 29	
Deer B License: 007-00	Antlerless White-tailed Deer	OTC: Aug 10	UNL	Sep 05-Oct 18	Oct 24-Nov 29	One per hunter. Antlerless White-tailed Deer B License. Valid in all Region 7 HDs.
Deer B License: 007-01	Antlerless White-tailed Deer	OTC: Aug 10	2,000	Sep 05-Oct 18	Oct 24-Nov 29	Residents only. 2nd Antlerless White-tailed Deer B License. Valid in all Region 7 HDs.
Deer B License: 007-03	Antlerless Mule Deer	June 1	11000	Sep 05-Oct 18	Oct 24-Nov 29	Valid in all Region 7 HDS.
Elk						
General Elk License	Spike Bull or Antlerless Elk	-	-	Sep 05-Oct 18	Oct 24-Nov 29	
Elk Permit: 799-20	Either-sex Elk	April 1	225	Sep 05-Oct 18	Oct 24-Nov 29	Only valid in HDs 702, 704 and 705.
Elk Permit: 900-20	Either-sex Elk	April 1	4,000	Sep 05-Oct 18	-	First and second choice only. ArchEquip Only. Valid in multiple HDs as listed under each HD.
Elk B License: 799-00	Antlerless Elk	June 1	600	Sep 05-Oct 18	Oct 24-Nov 29	Only valid in HDs 702, 704 and 705.
Elk B License: 007-00	Antlerless Elk	June 1	800	Sep 05-Oct 18	-	Valid in all Region 7 HDS.
				-	Oct 24-Nov 29	Not valid on National Forest lands or CMR Refuge. Valid in all Region 7 HDS.
HD 703 - Grassland-Agriculture						
NOTE: Elk numbers are low and primarily found on private land. Public access may be difficult and limited.						
Deer						
General Deer License	Either-sex Mule Deer	-	-	Sep 05-Oct 18	Oct 24-Nov 29	
	Either-sex White-tailed Deer	-	-	Sep 05-Oct 18	Oct 24-Nov 29	
Deer B License: 007-00	Antlerless White-tailed Deer	OTC: Aug 10	UNL	Sep 05-Oct 18	Oct 24-Nov 29	One per hunter. Antlerless White-tailed Deer B License. Valid in all Region 7 HDs.
Deer B License: 007-01	Antlerless White-tailed Deer	OTC: Aug 10	2,000	Sep 05-Oct 18	Oct 24-Nov 29	Residents only. 2nd Antlerless White-tailed Deer B License. Valid in all Region 7 HDs.
Deer B License: 007-03	Antlerless Mule Deer	June 1	11000	Sep 05-Oct 18	Oct 24-Nov 29	Valid in all Region 7 HDS

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Hunters using archery equipment, see page 15 for licensing requirements.

License or Permit	Opportunity	Apply by Date	Quota	Archery Season Dates	Season Dates	Opportunity Specific Details and/or Restrictions
HD 703 - Grassland-Agriculture - Continued						
NOTE: Elk numbers are low and primarily found on private land. Public access may be difficult and limited.						
Elk						
General Elk License	Either-sex Elk	-	-	Sep 05-Oct 18	Oct 24-Nov 29	
Elk B License: 007-00	Antlerless Elk	June 1	800	Sep 05-Oct 18	-	Valid in all Region 7 HDS.
				-	Oct 24-Nov 29	Not valid on National Forest lands or CMR Refuge. Valid in all Region 7 HDS.
HD 704 - Powder Pine Hills						
NOTE: CWD has been found in or adjacent to HD 704. For more information about CWD, see page 4.						
Deer						
General Deer License	Either-sex Mule Deer	-	-	Sep 05-Oct 18	Oct 24-Nov 29	
	Either-sex White-tailed Deer	-	-	Sep 05-Oct 18	Oct 24-Nov 29	
Deer B License: 007-00	Antlerless White-tailed Deer	OTC: Aug 10	UNL	Sep 05-Oct 18	Oct 24-Nov 29	One per hunter. Antlerless White-tailed Deer B License. Valid in all Region 7 HDs.
Deer B License: 007-01	Antlerless White-tailed Deer	OTC: Aug 10	2,000	Sep 05-Oct 18	Oct 24-Nov 29	Residents only. 2nd Antlerless White-tailed Deer B License. Valid in all Region 7 HDs.
Deer B License: 007-03	Antlerless Mule Deer	June 1	11000	Sep 05-Oct 18	Oct 24-Nov 29	Valid in all Region 7 HDS.
Elk						
General Elk License	Spike Bull or Antlerless Elk	-	-	Sep 05-Oct 18	-	
		-	-	-	Oct 24-Nov 29	Not valid on National Forest lands.
Elk Permit: 799-20	Either-sex Elk	April 1	225	Sep 05-Oct 18	Oct 24-Nov 29	Only valid in HDs 702, 704 and 705.
Elk Permit: 900-20	Either-sex Elk	April 1	4,000	Sep 05-Oct 18	-	First and second choice only. ArchEquip Only. Valid in multiple HDs as listed under each HD.
Elk B License: 799-00	Antlerless Elk	June 1	600	Sep 05-Oct 18	Oct 24-Nov 29	Only valid in HDs 702, 704 and 705.
Elk B License: 007-00	Antlerless Elk	June 1	800	Sep 05-Oct 18	-	Valid in all Region 7 HDS.
				-	Oct 24-Nov 29	Not valid on National Forest lands or CMR Refuge. Valid in all Region 7 HDS.
HD 705 - Prairie/Pines-Juniper Breaks						
NOTE: CWD has been found in or adjacent to HD 705. For more information about CWD, see page 4.						
Deer						
General Deer License	Either-sex Mule Deer	-	-	Sep 05-Oct 18	Oct 24-Nov 29	
	Either-sex White-tailed Deer	-	-	Sep 05-Oct 18	Oct 24-Nov 29	
Deer B License: 007-00	Antlerless White-tailed Deer	OTC: Aug 10	UNL	Sep 05-Oct 18	Oct 24-Nov 29	One per hunter. Antlerless White-tailed Deer B License. Valid in all Region 7 HDs.
Deer B License: 007-01	Antlerless White-tailed Deer	OTC: Aug 10	2,000	Sep 05-Oct 18	Oct 24-Nov 29	Residents only. 2nd Antlerless White-tailed Deer B License. Valid in all Region 7 HDs.
Deer B License: 007-03	Antlerless Mule Deer	June 1	11000	Sep 05-Oct 18	Oct 24-Nov 29	Valid in all Region 7 HDS
Elk						
General Elk License	Spike Bull or Antlerless Elk	-	-	Sep 05-Oct 18	-	
		-	-	-	Oct 24-Nov 29	Not valid on National Forest lands.
Elk Permit: 799-20	Either-sex Elk	April 1	225	Sep 05-Oct 18	Oct 24-Nov 29	Only valid in HDs 702, 704 and 705.
Elk Permit: 900-20	Either-sex Elk	April 1	4,000	Sep 05-Oct 18	-	First and second choice only. ArchEquip Only. Valid in multiple HDs as listed under each HD.
Elk B License: 799-00	Antlerless Elk	June 1	600	Sep 05-Oct 18	Oct 24-Nov 29	Only valid in HDs 702, 704 and 705.
Elk B License: 007-00	Antlerless Elk	June 1	800	Sep 05-Oct 18	-	Valid in all Region 7 HDS.
				-	Oct 24-Nov 29	Not valid on National Forest lands or CMR Refuge. Valid in all Region 7 HDS.

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HOW TO HUNT SAFELY IN Bear Country

Tips on how to prepare for safe outings.

- Inquire about recent bear activity in the area.
- Carry and know how to use bear spray.
- Let someone know your plans and time frame.
- Travel in groups of three or more people when possible.
- Stay on trails or rural roads.
- Watch for signs of bears such as bear scat, diggings, torn-up logs and turned over rocks, and partly consumed animal carcasses.
- Make your presence known by making noise - talking, singing, carrying a bell - especially when near streams or in thick forest where visibility is low. This can be the key to avoiding encounters. Most bears will avoid humans when they know humans are present.
- Don't approach a bear; respect its space and move off.

Hunters

Bears have expanded to areas where they previously may not have not been. They can now be found throughout Western and Central Montana.

Be aware that the act of hunting puts you at risk of encountering bears and that elk bugling, game calls and cover scents may attract bears.

When hunting, the golden rule is "get the elk or deer out of the area as quickly as possible." The longer a carcass remains lying on the ground, hung up in hunting camp, or in the back of a truck, the more likely it will be discovered by a bear. The sooner elk and deer are taken home the better.

If you must leave the carcass, hang it, in pieces if necessary, at least 10' above the ground. Leave the carcass where you can see it from a distance, and when you return, observe the carcass with binoculars before approaching. If a bear has claimed the carcass, leave the area and report the incident to the proper authorities. It's not worth risking your safety or the bear's safety.

Bears are opportunists and change their behavior in order to take advantage of new food sources. So if you are hunting always assume that bears are in the area and make sure your camps, cabins and homes are bear proof, and that bear attractants are unavailable or contained.

Hunters using archery equipment, see page 15 for licensing requirements.

Youth and/or Hunters with a Permit to Hunt from a Vehicle (PTHFV) Opportunities. See each individual hunting district for opportunity specific restrictions.

HD	License or Permit	Opportunity	Youth and/or PTHFV Holders
Deer Permit Opportunities			
262	Deer Permit: 262-52	Antlered Buck Mule Deer	Only youth ages 12-15.
291	Deer Permit: 291-51	Antlered Buck Mule Deer	Only youth ages 12-15.
General Deer License Opportunities			
100, 101, 102, 103, 104, 109, 110, 120, 121, 123, & 124	General Deer License	Either-sex White-tailed Deer	Only youth ages 10-15 and hunters with a PTHFV.
122 & 130	General Deer License	Either-sex White-tailed Deer	Only youth ages 10-15 and hunters with a PTHFV.
140 & 141	General Deer License	Either-sex White-tailed Deer	Only youth ages 10-15.
150	General Deer License	Either-sex White-tailed Deer	Only youth ages 10-15.
200, 201, 202, & 203	General Deer License	Either-sex White-tailed Deer	Only youth ages 10-15.
204	General Deer License	Either-sex White-tailed Deer	Only youth ages 10-15.
210	General Deer License	Antlerless Mule Deer	Only youth ages 10-15. Only valid outside National Forest boundary and NOT valid on FWP WMAs or BLM lands.
210, 211, 214, & 216	General Deer License	Either-sex White-tailed Deer	Only youth ages 10-15.
212, 213, 215, & 217	General Deer License	Antlerless Mule Deer	Only youth ages 10-15. Only valid outside National Forest boundary and NOT valid on FWP WMAs or BLM lands.
214	General Deer License	Antlerless Mule Deer	Only youth ages 10-15. Only valid outside National Forest boundary and NOT valid on FWP WMAs or BLM lands.
240 & 250	General Deer License	Either-sex White-tailed Deer	Only youth ages 10-15.
261	General Deer License	Either-sex White-tailed Deer	Only youth ages 10-15.
270	General Deer License	Either-sex White-tailed Deer	Only youth ages 10-15.
280	General Deer License	Either-sex White-tailed Deer	Only youth ages 10-15.
281, 283, & 285	General Deer License	Either-sex White-tailed Deer	Only youth ages 10-15.
291	General Deer License	Either-sex White-tailed Deer	Only youth ages 10-15.
292 & 293	General Deer License	Either-sex White-tailed Deer	Only youth ages 10-15.
298	General Deer License	Either-sex White-tailed Deer	Only youth ages 10-15.
511, 520, 540, 560 & 580	General Deer License	Either-sex Mule Deer	Only youth ages 10-15. Not valid on National Forest Lands.
575	General Deer License	Either-sex Mule Deer	Only youth ages 10-15.

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HD	License or Permit	Opportunity	Youth and/or PTHFV Holders
Elk Permit Opportunities			
100	Elk Permit: 100-01	Antlerless Elk	Hunters with a PTHFV.
101	Elk Permit: 101-03	Antlerless Elk	Hunters with a PTHFV.
102	Elk Permit: 102-01	Antlerless Elk	Hunters with a PTHFV.
103	Elk Permit: 103-01	Antlerless Elk	Hunters with a PTHFV.
104	Elk Permit: 104-01	Antlerless Elk	Hunters with a PTHFV.
120	Elk Permit: 120-01	Antlerless Elk	Hunters with a PTHFV.
121	Elk Permit: 121-01	Antlerless Elk	Hunters with a PTHFV.
122	Elk Permit: 122-01	Antlerless Elk	Hunters with a PTHFV.
123	Elk Permit: 123-01	Antlerless Elk	Hunters with a PTHFV.
124	Elk Permit: 124-01	Antlerless Elk	Hunters with a PTHFV.
217	Elk Permit: 217-11	Brow-tined Bull or Antlerless Elk	Only youth ages 12-15. Hunters required to report elk harvests to 1-877-FWP-WILD.
282	Elk Permit: 282-10	Brow-tined Bull or Antlerless Elk	Only youth ages 12-15.
313	Elk Permit: 313-00	Antlerless Elk	Only youth ages 12-15.
General Elk License Opportunities			
201	General Elk License	Brow-tined Bull or Antlerless Elk	Only youth ages 12-15 and hunters with a PTHFV. Private lands only. Not valid north and west of Deep Crk in Mineral county.
203	General Elk License	Brow-tined Bull or Antlerless Elk	Only youth ages 12-15 and hunters with a PTHFV. Only valid east of Petty Crk - Grave Crk road.
204, 210, 211, 212, 213, 215, & 216	General Elk License	Brow-tined Bull or Antlerless Elk	Only youth ages 12-15 and hunters with a PTHFV.
217	General Elk License	Antlerless Elk	Only youth ages 12-15 and hunters with a PTHFV. Only valid on private land.
	General Elk License	Antlerless Elk	Only youth ages 12-15 and hunters with a PTHFV.
240 & 261	General Elk License	Brow-tined Bull or Antlerless Elk	Only youth ages 12-15 and hunters with a PTHFV.
262	General Elk License	Antlerless Elk	Only youth ages 12-15 and hunters with a PTHFV.
270	General Elk License	Antlerless Elk	Only youth ages 12-15 and hunters with a PTHFV. Only valid north of Rye Creek.
	General Elk License	Brow-tined Bull Elk	Only youth ages 12-15.
280	General Elk License	Brow-tined Bull or Antlerless Elk	Only youth ages 12-15.
281	General Elk License	Brow-tined Bull or Antlerless Elk	Only youth ages 12-15.
285, 291, 292, & 293	General Elk License	Brow-tined Bull or Antlerless Elk	Only youth ages 12-15 and hunters with a PTHFV.
All R3 HDs **Except** 309, 310, 313, 339, 380, & 388	General Elk License	Either-sex Elk	Only youth ages 12-15 and hunters with a PTHFV.
339 & 380	General Elk License	Spike Bull or Antlerless Elk	Only youth ages 12-15 and hunters with a PTHFV.
392	General Elk License	Either-sex Elk	Only youth ages 12-15 and hunters with a PTHFV.
560	General Elk License	Either-sex Elk	Only youth ages 12-15.
Elk B License Opportunities			
620, 621, 622, 630, 631, 632, 690.	Elk B License: 699-01	Antlerless Elk	Only youth ages 12-15.

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In Montana, our working farms and ranches define our landscape. These lands are home to friends and neighbors who value how their land benefits the wildlife it supports as well as the products it produces.

The stewardship of these lands is a testament to the families who live there. The simple understanding that if you take care of the land, it will take care of you is one passed down from generation to generation. At Montana Fish, Wildlife & Parks, it's an honor to partner with landowners around the state who value the landscapes like we do; who see a river bottom, not just for the crops it can grow, but for the wildlife that live there; and who cherish the role their lands and operations play in keeping the Montana way of life alive and well.

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- In Montana, we're all neighbors no matter which side of the fence we're on.
- Good neighbors watch out for each other.
- So if you observe or suspect violations, contact ***1-800-TIP-MONT*** and help protect our hunting heritage.

HELP PREVENT

The Spread of

CWD

Chronic Wasting Disease

STOP DUMPING CARCASSES.

Once an animal with CWD dies, ***any part*** of the carcass can transmit the disease for ***at least two years***. Safely dispose of all animal parts like you would household garbage, and you'll be helping to keep local herds "clean" of CWD and following the law.

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Report unlawful dumping to local game warden:1-800-TIP-MONT

MONTANA FISH, WILDLIFE & PARKS

Hunters using archery equipment, see page 15 for licensing requirements.

Reference Table for Licenses or Permits that are Valid in Multiple Districts

License/ Permit Number	License/Permit Type	Apply by or Purchase Beginning Date	Hunting Districts (HD) (check each HD for season date and restriction details)
Deer Permits			
292-50	Deer Permit	April 1	Valid in 292 & 298.
Deer B Licenses			
003-00	Deer B License	OTC: Aug 10	Valid in all Region 3 HDs. Restrictions may apply in some districts, see each HD for more information.
004-00	Deer B License	OTC: Aug 10	Valid in all Region 4 HDs except HD 455.
006-00	Deer B License	OTC: Aug 10	Valid in all R6 HDs.
007-00	Deer B License	OTC: Aug 10	Valid in all Region 7 HDs.
007-01	Deer B License	OTC: Aug 10	Valid in all Region 7 HDs. Restrictions apply, see each HD for more information.
007-03	Deer B License	June 1	Valid in all Region 7 HDs.
199-20	Deer B License	OTC: Aug 10	Valid in portions of HDs 100, 103, & 104.
260-01	Deer B License	OTC: Aug 10	Valid in HDs 204, 240, 260, 261, 262, 270, & 283. ArchEquip Only.
299-00	Deer B License	OTC: Aug 10	Valid in HDs 204, 240, 261, 270. Restrictions apply, see each HD for more information.
317-00	Deer B License	OTC: Aug 10	Valid in HDs 314 & 317.
380-01	Deer B License	June 1	Valid in HDs 380 & 391. Restrictions apply, see each HD for more information.
398-00	Deer B License	OTC: Aug 10	Valid in HDs 309, 311, & 312.
399-00	Deer B License	OTC: Aug 10	Valid in HDs 320, 322, 324, 325, 326, 330, 333, 340, & 360
496-00	Deer B License	June 1	Valid in HDs 413 & 445.
497-00	Deer B License	June 1	Valid in HDs 411 & 412.
498-00	Deer B License	June 1	Valid in HDs 422 & 444.
597-00	Deer B License	June 1	Valid in HDs 500, 530, & 590. Restrictions apply, see each HD for more information.
598-00	Deer B License	June 1	Valid in HDs 511, 540, 570, & 580.
599-00	Deer B License	June 1	Valid in HDs 502, 510, 520, 560, & 575.
620-00	Deer B License	June 1	Valid in HDs 620, 621, & 622.
630-00	Deer B License	June 1	Valid in HDs 630, 631, & 632.
699-00	Deer B License	June 1	Valid in all R6 HDs.
Elk Permits			
199-00	Elk Permit	April 1	Valid in HDs 101 & 109. Restrictions apply, see each HD for more information.
210-03	Elk Permit	April 1	Valid in HDs 210, 211, 212 & 216.
394-00	Elk Permit	April 1	Valid in HDs 318 & 335. Restrictions apply, see each HD for more information.
396-00	Elk Permit	April 1	Valid in HDs 339 & 343. Restrictions apply, see each HD for more information.
401-20	Elk Permit	April 1	Valid in HDs 401 & 403.
410-21	Elk Permit	April 1	Valid in HDs 410 & 417.
411-20	Elk Permit	April 1	Valid in HDs 411, 511, & 530.
502-20	Elk Permit	April 1	Valid in HDs 502 & 510. Restrictions may apply in some districts, see each HD for more information.
590-20	Elk Permit	April 1	Valid in HDs 590 & 701. Restrictions apply, see each HD for more information.
620-20	Elk Permit	April 1	Valid in HDs 620, 621, & 622. Restrictions apply, see each HD for more information.
620-21	Elk Permit	April 1	Valid in HDs 620, 621, & 622.
631-20	Elk Permit	April 1	Valid in HDs 630 & 631.
631-21	Elk Permit	April 1	Valid in HDs 630 & 631.
632-20	Elk Permit	April 1	Valid in HDs 630 & 632.

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Reference Table for Licenses or Permits that are Valid in Multiple Districts

License/ Permit Number	License/Permit Type	Apply by or Purchase Beginning Date	Hunting Districts (HD) (check each HD for season date and restriction details)
Elk Permits (continued)			
632-21	Elk Permit	April 1	Valid in HDs 630 & 632.
698-00	Elk Permit	April 1	Valid in HDs 620, 621, 622. Restrictions apply.
799-20	Elk Permit	April 1	Valid in HDs 702, 704, & 705.
900-20	Elk Permit	April 1	Valid in HDs 401, 403, 411, 412, 426, 447, 450, 455, 500, 502, 510, 511, 520, 530, 570, 575, 580, 590, 701, 702, 704, & 705. Restrictions may apply in some districts, see each HD for more information.
Elk B Licenses			
004-00	Elk B License	June 1	Valid in all R4 HDs except HDs 410 & 455. Restrictions may apply in some districts, see each HD for more information.
005-00	Elk B License	June 1	Valid in all Region 5 HDs. Restrictions may apply in some districts, see each HD for more information.
007-00	Elk B License	June 1	Valid in all Region 7 HDs.
201-01	Elk B License	June 1	Valid in HDs 201 & 260. Restrictions apply, see each HD for more information.
262-01	Elk B License	OTC: Aug 10	Valid on private lands in HDs 204, 260, 261, 262, and 270.
290-01	Elk B License	June 1	Valid in HDs 290 & 298. Restrictions apply, see each HD for more information.
317-00	Elk B License	June 1	Valid in HDs 313 & 317. Restrictions apply, see each HD for more information.
321-00	Elk B License	June 1	Valid in HDs 321 & 329. Restrictions apply, see each HD for more information.
389-00	Elk B License	OTC: Aug 10	Valid in HDs 390, 391, & 393. Restrictions apply, see each HD for more information.
397-00	Elk B License	OTC: Aug 10	Valid in HDs 309, 311, & 312. Restrictions apply, see each HD for more information.
398-00	Elk B License	June 1	Valid in HDs 360 & 362.
399-00	Elk B License	June 1	Valid in HDs 300, 302, 320, 322, 323, 324, 325, 326, 327, 328, 329, 330, 331, & 332.
410-01	Elk B License	June 1	Valid in HDs 410 & 417.
411-00	Elk B License	June 1	Valid in HDs 411, 511, & 530.
448-00	Elk B License	June 1	Vaild in HDs 420 & 448.
595-00	Elk B License	June 1	Valid in HDs 500, 502, 510, 520, 540, 560, 570, 575, 580, and 590. Restrictions apply, see each HD for more information.
621-01	Elk B License	June 1	Valid in HDs 620 & 621.
622-00	Elk B License	June 1	Valid in HDs 620 & 622.
631-00	Elk B License	June 1	Valid in HDs 630 & 631.
632-00	Elk B License	June 1	Valid in HDs 630 & 632.
699-00	Elk B License	June 1	Valid in 620, 621, & 622. Restrictions apply, see each HD for more information.
699-01	Elk B License	June 1	Valid in HDs 620, 621, 622, 630, 631, 632, & 690. Restrictions apply, see each HD for more information.
799-00	Elk B License	June 1	Valid in 702, 704, & 705.

Antelope –2019 Drawing Statistics

The statistics on this page are from the 2019 drawings. The final license/permit quotas may differ from the quotas reflected in the 2020 printed regulations. The quotas listed in the printed regulations are the "proposed" quotas as adopted at the February F&W Commission meeting. The F&W Commission final-adopted quotas in July are based on winter and spring survey efforts and are the final quotas used to complete the actual drawing. These statistics reflect combined resident and nonresident first choice districts. These statistics do not reflect the use of bonus points, landowner preference, or the nonresident limit of no more than 10% of the quota of licenses. For more detailed statistics on resident/nonresident numbers, landowner drawing statistics, 2nd and 3rd choice numbers and district-specific bonus point information, visit our website at **fwp.mt.gov/hunting/planahunt/default.html**.

Hunters are advised to carefully review the 2020 regulations prior to applying for licenses. Do not rely solely on the LPT codes used in the past. Either-sex antelope licenses end with a number between 20 - 29. All doe/fawn antelope licenses now end with a number between 30 – 39. For all licenses, the first three digits may identify a Hunting District in which the license is valid but this is not always the case.

Key:
License = LicenseType. The first three digits most often represent the hunting district number.
Apps = Total number of resident and nonresident 1st-choice applicants.
Succ = Total number of resident and nonresident 1st-choice applicants that were successful.
% Succ = Percentage of resident and nonresident 1st-choice applicants that were successful.

2019 First Choice Antelope License Drawing Statistics

LPT	Apps	Succ	% Succ
007-20	11458	8500	74.18
215-20	224	25	11.16
291-20	50	5	10
300-20	741	250	33.74
301-20	56	20	35.71
310-20	598	175	29.26
311-20	300	150	50
313-20	84	20	23.81
318-20	1026	250	24.37
319-20	161	65	40.37
320-20	208	25	12.02
321-20	1105	225	20.36
330-20	1517	500	32.96
338-20	430	200	46.51
339-20	143	132	92.31
340-20	282	150	53.19
341-20	855	350	40.94
350-20	217	55	25.35
360-20	883	500	56.63
370-20	100	50	50

LPT	Apps	Succ	% Succ
371-20	236	50	21.19
380-20	259	75	28.96
381-20	63	5	7.94
388-20	39	15	38.46
390-20	194	25	12.89
401-20	919	200	21.76
404-20	1553	200	12.88
413-20	214	25	11.68
420-20	333	100	30.03
430-20	307	75	24.43
440-20	326	100	30.67
441-20	52	10	19.23
444-20	407	100	24.57
450-20	334	50	14.97
455-20	89	2	2.25
470-20	531	150	28.25
471-20	470	200	42.55
480-20	426	100	23.47
481-20	196	25	12.76
490-20	695	275	39.57

LPT	Apps	Succ	% Succ
491-20	179	75	41.9
500-20	272	265	97.43
501-20	347	347	100
510-20	384	383	99.74
511-20	175	175	100
512-20	66	50	75.76
513-20	608	300	49.34
514-20	242	100	41.32
530-20	434	150	34.56
540-20	292	265	90.75
550-20	281	281	100
560-20	1135	1000	88.11
570-20	1273	1,200	94.27
590-20	290	290	100
600-20	688	100	14.53
620-20	1182	200	16.92
630-20	439	100	22.78
650-20	728	500	68.68
670-20	598	300	50.17
690-20	1252	500	39.94

2019 First Choice Antelope B License Drawing Statistics

LPT	Apps	Succ	% Succ
007-30	3766	1500	39.83
215-30	76	25	32.89
291-30	23	5	21.74
300-30	300	100	33.33
310-30	367	150	40.87
311-30	165	25	15.15
318-30	571	200	35.03
319-30	83	50	60.24
320-30	132	25	18.94
321-30	470	75	15.96
330-30	754	450	59.68
371-30	176	75	42.61
380-30	190	150	78.95
388-30	40	40	100
390-30	102	25	24.51
401-30	401	25	6.23

LPT	Apps	Succ	% Succ
404-30	552	50	9.06
413-30	103	25	24.27
420-30	101	25	24.75
430-30	79	25	31.65
440-30	160	75	46.88
444-30	184	100	54.35
450-30	240	50	20.83
470-30	252	200	79.37
471-30	174	174	100
480-30	107	25	23.36
481-30	71	25	35.21
490-30	424	325	76.65
491-30	57	25	43.86
500-30	80	5	6.25
501-30	85	25	29.41
510-30	163	163	100

LPT	Apps	Succ	% Succ
511-30	35	5	14.29
512-30	19	5	26.32
513-30	114	5	4.39
514-30	73	25	34.25
530-30	80	5	6.25
540-30	101	101	100
550-30	98	98	100
560-30	427	300	70.26
570-30	576	400	69.44
590-30	132	50	37.88
600-30	253	50	19.76
620-30	327	50	15.29
630-30	88	10	11.36
650-30	221	100	45.25
670-30	150	25	16.67
690-30	523	150	28.68

License	Opportunity	Apply by Date	Quota	Archery Season Dates	Season Dates	Opportunity Specific Information/ Restrictions
Region 2						
HD 215 - East Deer Lodge						
Antelope License: 215-20	Either-sex	June 1	5	Sep 05-Oct 09	Oct 10-Nov 08	
Antelope B License: 215-30	Doe/Fawn	June 1	10	Sep 05-Oct 09	Oct 10-Nov 08	
HD 291 - East Garnet Range						
Antelope License: 291-20	Either-sex	June 1	5	Sep 05-Oct 09	Oct 10-Nov 08	
Antelope B License: 291-30	Doe/Fawn	June 1	5	Sep 05-Oct 09	Oct 10-Nov 08	
Region 3						
HD 300 - Medicine Lodge-Upper Horse Prairie						
Antelope License: 300-20	Either-sex	June 1	250	Sep 05-Oct 09	Oct 10-Nov 08	
Antelope B License: 300-30	Doe/Fawn	June 1	100	Sep 05-Oct 09	Oct 10-Nov 08	
Antelope License: 900-20	Either-sex	June 1	5,600	-	Aug 15-Nov 08	First and only choice. ArchEquip only.
HD 301 - Lima Peaks						
Antelope License: 301-20	Either-sex	June 1	20	Sep 05-Oct 09	Oct 10-Nov 08	
Antelope License: 900-20	Either-sex	June 1	5,600	-	Aug 15-Nov 08	First and only choice. ArchEquip only.
HD 310 - Pioneers NOTE: HD 310 Check Restricted Area Legal Description (p 18-19) Poindexter Slough FAS south of Dillon						
Antelope License: 310-20	Either-sex	June 1	175	Sep 05-Oct 09	Oct 10-Nov 08	
Antelope B License: 310-30	Doe/Fawn	June 1	150	Sep 05-Oct 09	Oct 10-Nov 08	
Antelope License: 900-20	Either-sex	June 1	5,600	-	Aug 15-Nov 08	First and only choice. ArchEquip only.
HD 311 - Lower Gallatin-Madison-Horseshoe Hills NOTE: HD 311 Check Restricted Area Legal Description (p 18-19) Gallatin Valley Weapons Restriction Area						
Antelope License: 311-20	Either-sex	June 1	150	Sep 05-Oct 09	Oct 10-Nov 08	
Antelope License: 900-20	Either-sex	June 1	5,600	-	Aug 15-Nov 08	First and only choice. ArchEquip only.
HD 313 - Upper Yellowstone NOTE: HD 313 Check Restricted Area Legal Description (p 18-19) Beattie Gulch: Subject to closure of all hunting with 24 hours notice						
Antelope License: 313-20	Either-sex	June 1	20	Sep 05-Oct 09	Oct 10-Nov 08	
HD 318 - Big Hole						
Antelope License: 318-20	Either-sex	June 1	175	Sep 05-Oct 09	Oct 10-Nov 08	
Antelope B License: 318-30	Doe/Fawn	June 1	125	Sep 05-Oct 09	Oct 10-Nov 08	
Antelope License: 900-20	Either-sex	June 1	5,600	-	Aug 15-Nov 08	First and only choice. ArchEquip only.
HD 319 - Fleecer-High Rye						
Antelope License: 319-20	Either-sex	June 1	65	Sep 05-Oct 09	Oct 10-Nov 08	
Antelope B License: 319-30	Doe/Fawn	June 1	50	Sep 05-Oct 09	Oct 10-Nov 08	
Antelope License: 900-20	Either-sex	June 1	5,600	-	Aug 15-Nov 08	First and only choice. ArchEquip only.
HD 320 - Tobacco Roots						
Antelope License: 320-20	Either-sex	June 1	25	Sep 05-Oct 09	Oct 10-Nov 08	
Antelope B License: 320-30	Doe/Fawn	June 1	25	Sep 05-Oct 09	Oct 10-Nov 08	
Antelope License: 900-20	Either-sex	June 1	5,600	-	Aug 15-Nov 08	First and only choice. ArchEquip only.
HD 321 - Ruby-Blacktail						
Antelope License: 321-20	Either-sex	June 1	225	Sep 05-Oct 09	Oct 10-Nov 08	
Antelope B License: 321-30	Doe/Fawn	June 1	75	Sep 05-Oct 09	Oct 10-Nov 08	
Antelope License: 900-20	Either-sex	June 1	5,600	-	Aug 15-Nov 08	First and only choice. ArchEquip only.

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License	Opportunity	Apply by Date	Quota	Archery Season Dates	Season Dates	Opportunity Specific Information/ Restrictions
HD 329 - Horse Prairie North						
Antelope License: 329-20	Either-sex	June 1	100	Sep 05-Oct 09	Oct 10-Nov 08	
Antelope License: 900-20	Either-sex	June 1	5,600		Aug 15-Nov 08	First and only choice. ArchEquip only.
HD 330 - Centennial Sage						
Antelope License: 330-20	Either-sex	June 1	500	Sep 05-Oct 09	Oct 10-Nov 08	
Antelope B License: 330-30	Doe/Fawn	June 1	450	Sep 05-Oct 09	Oct 10-Nov 08	
Antelope License: 900-20	Either-sex	June 1	5,600	-	Aug 15-Nov 08	First and only choice. ArchEquip only.
HD 338 - Shields River North						
Antelope License: 338-20	Either-sex	June 1	200	Sep 05-Oct 09	Oct 10-Nov 08	Successful antelope Either-sex 338-20 applicants may be offered the opportunity to purchase one or more 338-30 licenses valid in HD 338 during the same time periods and with the same restrictions.
Antelope License: 900-20	Either-sex	June 1	5,600	-	Aug 15-Nov 08	First and only choice. ArchEquip only.
HD 339 - Shields River South						
Antelope License: 339-20	Either-sex	June 1	200	Sep 05-Oct 09	Oct 10-Nov 08	Successful antelope Either-sex 339-20 applicants may be offered the opportunity to purchase one or more 339-30 licenses valid in HD 339 during the same time periods and with the same restrictions.
Antelope License: 900-20	Either-sex	June 1	5,600	-	Aug 15-Nov 08	First and only choice. ArchEquip only.
HD 340 - West Boulder NOTE: HD 340 Check Restricted Area Legal Description (p 18-19) Yellowstone River Islands restricted to ArchEquip Only						
Antelope License: 340-20	Either-sex	June 1	150	Sep 05-Oct 09	Oct 10-Nov 08	Successful antelope Either-sex 340-20 applicants may be offered the opportunity to purchase one or more 340-30 licenses valid in HD 340 during the same time periods and with the same restrictions.
Antelope License: 900-20	Either-sex	June 1	5,600	-	Aug 15-Nov 08	First and only choice. ArchEquip only.
HD 341 - Highlands						
Antelope License: 341-20	Either-sex	June 1	350	Sep 05-Oct 09	Oct 10-Nov 08	Successful antelope Either-sex 341-20 applicants may be offered the opportunity to purchase one or more 341-30 licenses valid in HD 341 during the same time periods and with the same restrictions.
Antelope License: 900-20	Either-sex	June 1	5,600	-	Aug 15-Nov 08	First and only choice. ArchEquip only.
HD 350 - Whitetail						
Antelope License: 350-20	Either-sex	June 1	55	Sep 05-Oct 09	Oct 10-Nov 08	Successful antelope Either-sex 350-20 applicants may be offered the opportunity to purchase one or more 350-30 licenses valid in HD 350 during the same time periods and with the same restrictions.
Antelope License: 900-20	Either-sex	June 1	5,600	-	Aug 15-Nov 08	First and only choice. ArchEquip only.
HD 360 - Madison NOTE: HD 360 Check Restricted Area Legal Description (p 18-19) Ennis Airport Weapons Restriction Area; Jeffers Weapons Restriction Area						
Antelope License: 360-20	Either-sex	June 1	500	Sep 05-Oct 09	Oct 10-Nov 08	Successful antelope Either-sex 360-20 applicants may be offered the opportunity to purchase one or more 360-30 licenses valid in HD 360 during the same time periods and with the same restrictions.
Antelope License: 900-20	Either-sex	June 1	5,600	-	Aug 15-Nov 08	First and only choice. ArchEquip only.

License	Opportunity	Apply by Date	Quota	Archery Season Dates	Season Dates	Opportunity Specific Information/ Restrictions
HD 370 - Boulder Valley						
Antelope License: 370-20	Either-sex	June 1	50	Sep 05-Oct 09	Oct 10-Nov 08	Successful antelope Either-sex 370-20 applicants may be offered the opportunity to purchase one or more 370-30 licenses valid in HD 370 during the same time periods and with the same restrictions.
Antelope License: 900-20	Either-sex	June 1	5,600	-	Aug 15-Nov 08	First and only choice. ArchEquip only.
HD 371 - Radersburg NOTE: HD 371 Check Restricted Area Legal Description (p 18-19) Muskrat Valley Weapons Restriction Area; Townsend Weapon Restriction Area						
Antelope License: 371-20	Either-sex	June 1	50	Sep 05-Oct 09	Oct 10-Nov 08	
Antelope B License: 371-30	Doe/Fawn	June 1	75	Sep 05-Oct 09	Oct 10-Nov 08	
Antelope License: 900-20	Either-sex	June 1	5,600	-	Aug 15-Nov 08	First and only choice. ArchEquip only.
HD 380 - Winston Flats NOTE: HD 380 Check Restricted Area Legal Description (p 18-19) Townsend Weapon Restriction Area						
Antelope License: 380-20	Either-sex	June 1	75	Sep 05-Oct 09	Oct 10-Nov 08	Not valid in HD 380 portion of the Townsend WRA, except with the use of ArchEquip.
Antelope B License: 380-30	Doe/Fawn	June 1	150	Sep 05-Oct 09	Oct 10-Nov 08	Not valid in HD 380 portion of the Townsend WRA, except with the use of ArchEquip.
Antelope License: 900-20	Either-sex	June 1	5,600	-	Aug 15-Nov 08	First and only choice. ArchEquip only.
HD 381 - Hilger Valley-Silver City NOTE: HD 381 Check Restricted Area Legal Description (p 18-19) Gates of the Mountains Game Preserve						
Antelope License: 381-20	Either-sex	June 1	5	Sep 05-Oct 09	Oct 10-Nov 08	
Antelope License: 900-20	Either-sex	June 1	5,600	-	Aug 15-Nov 08	First and only choice. ArchEquip only.
HD 388 - Ten Mile-Prickley Pear Valley NOTE: HD 388 Check Restricted Area Legal Description (p 18-19) Helena Valley Regulating Reservoir; Helena Valley Weapons Restriction Area NOTE: A large portion of this district is a weapons restriction area with ArchEquip, shotgun, traditional handgun, muzzleloader or crossbow only. A portion of this district is outside the weapons restriction area. See legal descriptions. Helena Valley Regulating Reservoir closed to all hunting with the opening of waterfowl season.						
Antelope License: 388-20	Either-sex	June 1	15	Sep 05-Oct 09	Oct 10-Nov 08	Successful antelope Either-sex 388-20 applicants may be offered the opportunity to purchase one or more 388-31 licenses valid in HD 388 during the same time periods and with the same restrictions. Valid both inside and outside Weapons Restriction Area.
Antelope B License: 388-30	Doe/Fawn	June 1	50	Sep 05-Oct 09	Oct 10-Nov 08	
Antelope License: 900-20	Either-sex	June 1	5,600	-	Aug 15-Nov 08	First and only choice. ArchEquip only.
HD 390 - South Belts NOTE: HD 390 Check Restricted Area Legal Description (p 18-19) Townsend Weapon Restriction Area						
Antelope License: 390-20	Either-sex	June 1	25	Sep 05-Oct 09	Oct 10-Nov 08	
Antelope B License: 390-30	Doe/Fawn	June 1	25	Sep 05-Oct 09	Oct 10-Nov 08	
Antelope License: 900-20	Either-sex	June 1	5,600	-	Aug 15-Nov 08	First and only choice. ArchEquip only.
Region 4						
HD 401 - Sweetgrass Hills						
Antelope License: 401-20	Either-sex	June 1	200	Sep 05-Oct 09	Oct 10-Nov 08	
Antelope B License: 401-30	Doe/Fawn	June 1	25	Sep 05-Oct 09	Oct 10-Nov 08	
Antelope License: 900-20	Either-sex	June 1	5,600	-	Aug 15-Nov 08	First and only choice. ArchEquip only.
HD 404 - Teton-Marias NOTE: HD 404 Check Restricted Area Legal Description (p 18-19) Brinkman Game Preserve closed to antelope hunting.						
Antelope License: 404-20	Either-sex	June 1	200	Sep 05-Oct 09	Oct 10-Nov 08	
Antelope B License: 404-30	Doe/Fawn	June 1	50	Sep 05-Oct 09	Oct 10-Nov 08	
Antelope License: 900-20	Either-sex	June 1	5,600	-	Aug 15-Nov 08	First and only choice. ArchEquip only.

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License	Opportunity	Apply by Date	Quota	Archery Season Dates	Season Dates	Opportunity Specific Information/ Restrictions
HD 413 - Sand Coulee						
Antelope License: 413-20	Either-sex	June 1	25	Sep 05-Oct 09	Oct 10-Nov 08	
Antelope B License: 413-30	Doe/Fawn	June 1	25	Sep 05-Oct 09	Oct 10-Nov 08	
Antelope License: 900-20	Either-sex	June 1	5,600	-	Aug 15-Nov 08	First and only choice. ArchEquip only.
HD 420 - South Fergus						
Antelope License: 420-20	Either-sex	June 1	100	Sep 05-Oct 09	Oct 10-Nov 08	
Antelope B License: 420-30	Doe/Fawn	June 1	25	Sep 05-Oct 09	Oct 10-Nov 08	
Antelope License: 900-20	Either-sex	June 1	5,600	-	Aug 15-Nov 08	First and only choice. ArchEquip only.
HD 430 - Buffalo						
Antelope License: 430-20	Either-sex	June 1	75	Sep 05-Oct 09	Oct 10-Nov 08	
Antelope B License: 430-30	Doe/Fawn	June 1	25	Sep 05-Oct 09	Oct 10-Nov 08	
Antelope License: 900-20	Either-sex	June 1	5,600	-	Aug 15-Nov 08	First and only choice. ArchEquip only.
HD 440 - Birdtail Hills						
Antelope License: 440-20	Either-sex	June 1	100	Sep 05-Oct 09	Oct 10-Nov 08	
Antelope B License: 440-30	Doe/Fawn	June 1	75	Sep 05-Oct 09	Oct 10-Nov 08	
Antelope License: 900-20	Either-sex	June 1	5,600	-	Aug 15-Nov 08	First and only choice. ArchEquip only.
HD 441 - North Fork Birch Creek-Teton						
Antelope License: 441-20	Either-sex	June 1	10	Sep 05-Oct 09	Oct 10-Nov 08	
Antelope License: 900-20	Either-sex	June 1	5,600	-	Aug 15-Nov 08	First and only choice. ArchEquip only.
HD 444 - Teton-Highway 200 NOTE: HD 444 Check Restricted Area Legal Description (p 18-19) Freezout Lake WMA, Teton County closed to hunting as posted						
Antelope License: 444-20	Either-sex	June 1	100	Sep 05-Oct 09	Oct 10-Nov 08	
Antelope B License: 444-30	Doe/Fawn	June 1	100	Sep 05-Oct 09	Oct 10-Nov 08	
Antelope License: 900-20	Either-sex	June 1	5,600	-	Aug 15-Nov 08	First and only choice. ArchEquip only.
HD 450 - Hound Creek						
Antelope License: 450-20	Either-sex	June 1	50	Sep 05-Oct 09	Oct 10-Nov 08	
Antelope B License: 450-30	Doe/Fawn	June 1	50	Sep 05-Oct 09	Oct 10-Nov 08	
Antelope License: 900-20	Either-sex	June 1	5,600	-	Aug 15-Nov 08	First and only choice. ArchEquip only.
HD 455 - Ming Bar						
Antelope License: 455-20	Either-sex	June 1	2	Sep 05-Oct 09	Oct 10-Nov 08	
Antelope License: 900-20	Either-sex	June 1	5,600	-	Aug 15-Nov 08	First and only choice. ArchEquip only.
HD 471 - Highwoods-Denton Note: Boundary change						
Antelope License: 471-20	Either-sex	June 1	350	Sep 05-Oct 09	Oct 10-Nov 08	
Antelope B License: 471-30	Doe/Fawn	June 1	400	Sep 05-Oct 09	Oct 10-Nov 08	
Antelope License: 900-20	Either-sex	June 1	5,600	-	Aug 15-Nov 08	First and only choice. ArchEquip only.
HD 480 - North Fergus						
Antelope License: 480-20	Either-sex	June 1	100	Sep 05-Oct 09	Oct 10-Nov 08	
Antelope B License: 480-30	Doe/Fawn	June 1	25	Sep 05-Oct 09	Oct 10-Nov 08	
Antelope License: 900-20	Either-sex	June 1	5,600	-	Aug 15-Nov 08	First and only choice. ArchEquip only.
HD 481 - Petroleum						
Antelope License: 481-20	Either-sex	June 1	25	Sep 05-Oct 09	Oct 10-Nov 08	
Antelope B License: 481-30	Doe/Fawn	June 1	25	Sep 05-Oct 09	Oct 10-Nov 08	
Antelope License: 900-20	Either-sex	June 1	5,600	-	Aug 15-Nov 08	First and only choice. ArchEquip only.

License	Opportunity	Apply by Date	Quota	Archery Season Dates	Season Dates	Opportunity Specific Information/ Restrictions
HD 490 - West Meagher Note: Boundary Change						
Antelope License: 490-20	Either-sex	June 1	275	Sep 05-Oct 09	Oct 10-Nov 08	
Antelope B License: 490-30	Doe/Fawn	June 1	325	Sep 05-Oct 09	Oct 10-Nov 08	
Antelope License: 900-20	Either-sex	June 1	5,600	-	Aug 15-Nov 08	First and only choice. ArchEquip only.
HD 491 - East Meagher Note: Boundary change						
Antelope License: 491-20	Either-sex	June 1	75	Sep 05-Oct 09	Oct 10-Nov 08	
Antelope B License: 491-30	Doe/Fawn	June 1	25	Sep 05-Oct 09	Oct 10-Nov 08	
Antelope License: 900-20	Either-sex	June 1	5,600	-	Aug 15-Nov 08	First and only choice. ArchEquip only.
Region 5						
HD 500 - West Wheatland						
Antelope License: 500-20	Either-sex	June 1	300	Sep 05-Oct 09	Oct 10-Nov 08	
Antelope B License: 500-30	Doe/Fawn	June 1	5	Sep 05-Oct 09	Oct 10-Nov 08	
Antelope License: 900-20	Either-sex	June 1	5,600	-	Aug 15-Nov 08	First and only choice. ArchEquip only.
HD 501 - East Wheatland						
Antelope License: 501-20	Either-sex	June 1	400	Sep 05-Oct 09	Oct 10-Nov 08	
Antelope B License: 501-30	Doe/Fawn	June 1	25	Sep 05-Oct 09	Oct 10-Nov 08	
Antelope License: 900-20	Either-sex	June 1	5,600	-	Aug 15-Nov 08	First and only choice. ArchEquip only.
HD 510 - Big Timber						
Antelope License: 510-20	Either-sex	June 1	500	Sep 05-Oct 09	Oct 10-Nov 08	
Antelope B License: 510-30	Doe/Fawn	June 1	200	Sep 05-Oct 09	Oct 10-Nov 08	
Antelope License: 900-20	Either-sex	June 1	5,600	-	Aug 15-Nov 08	First and only choice. ArchEquip only.
HD 511 - Hardin						
Antelope License: 511-20	Either-sex	June 1	250	Sep 05-Oct 09	Oct 10-Nov 08	
Antelope B License: 511-30	Doe/Fawn	June 1	5	Sep 05-Oct 09	Oct 10-Nov 08	
Antelope License: 900-20	Either-sex	June 1	5,600	-	Aug 15-Nov 08	First and only choice. ArchEquip only.
HD 512 - Stillwater						
Antelope License: 512-20	Either-sex	June 1	50	Sep 05-Oct 09	Oct 10-Nov 08	
Antelope B License: 512-30	Doe/Fawn	June 1	5	Sep 05-Oct 09	Oct 10-Nov 08	
Antelope License: 900-20	Either-sex	June 1	5,600	-	Aug 15-Nov 08	First and only choice. ArchEquip only.
HD 513 - Willow Creek						
Antelope License: 513-20	Either-sex	June 1	300	Sep 05-Oct 09	Oct 10-Nov 08	
Antelope B License: 513-30	Doe/Fawn	June 1	5	Sep 05-Oct 09	Oct 10-Nov 08	
Antelope License: 900-20	Either-sex	June 1	5,600	-	Aug 15-Nov 08	First and only choice. ArchEquip only.
HD 514 - Rock Creek						
Antelope License: 514-20	Either-sex	June 1	100	Sep 05-Oct 09	Oct 10-Nov 08	
Antelope B License: 514-30	Doe/Fawn	June 1	25	Sep 05-Oct 09	Oct 10-Nov 08	
Antelope License: 900-20	Either-sex	June 1	5,600	-	Aug 15-Nov 08	First and only choice. ArchEquip only.
HD 530 - Flatwillow-Willow Creek						
Antelope License: 530-20	Either-sex	June 1	150	Sep 05-Oct 09	Oct 10-Nov 08	
Antelope B License: 530-30	Doe/Fawn	June 1	5	Sep 05-Oct 09	Oct 10-Nov 08	
Antelope License: 900-20	Either-sex	June 1	5,600	-	Aug 15-Nov 08	First and only choice. ArchEquip only.

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License	Opportunity	Apply by Date	Quota	Archery Season Dates	Season Dates	Opportunity Specific Information/ Restrictions
HD 540 - Bull Mountains						
Antelope License: 540-20	Either-sex	June 1	300	Sep 05-Oct 09	Oct 10-Nov 08	
Antelope B License: 540-30	Doe/Fawn	June 1	150	Sep 05-Oct 09	Oct 10-Nov 08	
Antelope License: 900-20	Either-sex	June 1	5,600	-	Aug 15-Nov 08	First and only choice. ArchEquip only.
HD 550 - Billings						
Antelope License: 550-20	Either-sex	June 1	400	Sep 05-Oct 09	Oct 10-Nov 08	
Antelope B License: 550-30	Doe/Fawn	June 1	200	Sep 05-Oct 09	Oct 10-Nov 08	
Antelope License: 900-20	Either-sex	June 1	5,600	-	Aug 15-Nov 08	First and only choice. ArchEquip only.
HD 560 - Molt-Broadview						
Antelope License: 560-20	Either-sex	June 1	1000	Sep 05-Oct 09	Oct 10-Nov 08	
Antelope B License: 560-30	Doe/Fawn	June 1	300	Sep 05-Oct 09	Oct 10-Nov 08	
Antelope License: 900-20	Either-sex	June 1	5,600	-	Aug 15-Nov 08	First and only choice. ArchEquip only.
HD 570 - Fish Creek-Big Coulee						
Antelope License: 570-20	Either-sex	June 1	1,200	Sep 05-Oct 09	Oct 10-Nov 08	
Antelope B License: 570-30	Doe/Fawn	June 1	400	Sep 05-Oct 09	Oct 10-Nov 08	
Antelope License: 900-20	Either-sex	June 1	5,600	-	Aug 15-Nov 08	First and only choice. ArchEquip only.
HD 590 - Two Dot						
Antelope License: 590-20	Either-sex	June 1	450	Sep 05-Oct 09	Oct 10-Nov 08	
Antelope B License: 590-30	Doe/Fawn	June 1	50	Sep 05-Oct 09	Oct 10-Nov 08	
Antelope License: 900-20	Either-sex	June 1	5,600	-	Aug 15-Nov 08	First and only choice. ArchEquip only.
Region 6						
HD 600 - North Hill-Blaine NOTE: HD 600 Check Restricted Area Legal Description (p 18-19) Rookery WMA						
Antelope License: 600-20	Either-sex	June 1	100	Sep 05-Oct 09	Oct 10-Nov 08	
Antelope B License: 600-30	Doe/Fawn	June 1	50	Sep 05-Oct 09	Oct 10-Nov 08	
Antelope License: 900-20	Either-sex	June 1	5,600	-	Aug 15-Nov 08	First and only choice. ArchEquip only.
HD 620 - South Phillips NOTE: HD 620 Check Restricted Area Legal Description (p 18-19) Bowdoin NWR; Slippery Ann Elk Viewing Area is closed to all hunting per refuge regulation						
Antelope License: 620-20	Either-sex	June 1	200	Sep 05-Oct 09	Oct 10-Nov 08	
Antelope B License: 620-30	Doe/Fawn	June 1	50	Sep 05-Oct 09	Oct 10-Nov 08	
Antelope License: 900-20	Either-sex	June 1	5,600	-	Aug 15-Nov 08	First and only choice. ArchEquip only.
HD 630 - South Valley NOTE: HD 630 Check Restricted Area Legal Description (p 18-19) CMR National Wildlife Refuge in Valley County						
Antelope License: 630-20	Either-sex	June 1	100	Sep 05-Oct 09	Oct 10-Nov 08	
Antelope B License: 630-30	Doe/Fawn	June 1	10	Sep 05-Oct 09	Oct 10-Nov 08	
Antelope License: 900-20	Either-sex	June 1	5,600	-	Aug 15-Nov 08	First and only choice. ArchEquip only.
HD 640 - Northeast Montana NOTE: HD 640 Check Restricted Area Legal Description (p 18-19) Medicine Lake National Wildlife Refuge						
Antelope License: 640-20	Either-sex	June 1	100	Sep 05-Oct 09	Oct 10-Nov 08	
Antelope B License: 640-30	Doe/Fawn	June 1	25	Sep 05-Oct 09	Oct 10-Nov 08	
Antelope License: 900-20	Either-sex	June 1	5,600	-	Aug 15-Nov 08	First and only choice. ArchEquip only.
HD 650 - McCone-Richland						
Antelope License: 650-20	Either-sex	June 1	500	Sep 05-Oct 09	Oct 10-Nov 08	
Antelope B License: 650-30	Doe/Fawn	June 1	100	Sep 05-Oct 09	Oct 10-Nov 08	
Antelope License: 900-20	Either-sex	June 1	5,600	-	Aug 15-Nov 08	First and only choice. ArchEquip only.

License	Opportunity	Apply by Date	Quota	Archery Season Dates	Season Dates	Opportunity Specific Information/ Restrictions
HD 670 - North Phillips-Valley NOTE: HD 670 Check Restricted Area Legal Description (p 18-19) Cree Crossing WMA; Milk River WMA						
Antelope License: 670-20	Either-sex	June 1	400	Sep 05-Oct 09	Oct 10-Nov 08	
Antelope B License: 670-30	Doe/Fawn	June 1	75	Sep 05-Oct 09	Oct 10-Nov 08	
Antelope License: 900-20	Either-sex	June 1	5,600	-	Aug 15-Nov 08	First and only choice. ArchEquip only.
HD 690 - South Hill-Blaine-North Chouteau						
Antelope License: 690-20	Either-sex	June 1	500	Sep 05-Oct 09	Oct 10-Nov 08	
Antelope B License: 690-30	Doe/Fawn	June 1	150	Sep 05-Oct 09	Oct 10-Nov 08	
Antelope License: 900-20	Either-sex	June 1	5,600	-	Aug 15-Nov 08	First and only choice. ArchEquip only.
Region 7						
HDs 700 - Missouri Breaks-Prairie, 701 - Sagebrush Prairie, 702 - Yellowstone Pine Hills, 703 - Grassland-Agriculture, 704 - Powder Pine Hills, 705 - Prairie-Pines-Juniper Breaks						
Antelope License: 900-20	Either-sex	June 1	5,600	Aug 15-Nov 08		First and only choice. ArchEquip only.
Antelope License: 007-20	Either-sex	June 1	8500	Sep 05-Oct 09	Oct 10-Nov 08	Valid in all Region 7 HDs. Successful antelope either-sex 007-20 and/or Doe/Fawn 007-30 applicants may be offered the opportunity to purchase one Doe/Fawn 799-30 license valid in HDs 704 and 705 during the same time periods.
Antelope B License: 007-30	Doe/Fawn	June 1	1,500	Sep 05-Oct 09	Oct 10-Nov 08	Valid in all Region 7 HDs. Successful antelope either-sex 007-20 and/or Doe/Fawn 007-30 applicants may be offered the opportunity to purchase one Doe/Fawn 799-30 license valid in HDs 704 and 705 during the same time periods.

Multi-district Antelope Licenses and Permits

License or Permit #	License Type	Drawing deadline	Valid Hunting Districts (check each HD for season dates and restrictions)
007-20	Antelope License	June 1	Valid in HDs 700, 701, 702, 703, 704, 705
007-30	Antelope **B** License	June 1	Valid in HDs 700, 701, 702, 703, 704, 705
900-20	Antelope License	June 1	Valid in HDs 300, 301, 310, 311, 318, 319, 320, 321, 329, 330, 338, 339, 340, 341, 350, 360, 370, 371, 380, 381, 388, 390, 401, 404, 413, 420, 430, 440, 441, 444, 450, 455, 471, 480, 481, 490, 491, 500, 501, 510, 511, 512, 513, 514, 530, 540, 550, 560, 570, 590, 600, 620, 630, 640, 650, 670, 690, 700, 701, 702, 703, 704, 705

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- Lead particles from lead ammunition can be toxic if ingested and can poison wildlife scavenging from gut piles.
- Hunters can voluntarily choose to use non-lead, copper or other high-weight retention ammunition.
- To find out more about non-lead ammunition, visit NonleadPartnership.org or HuntingWithNonLead.org.

*FWP cannot regulate ammunition according to Montana statute. The law does not prohibit the use of lead ammunition.

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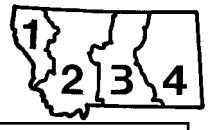
2020-2021 Sunrise-Sunset Tables For Determining Hunting Hours

These tables, including adjustments for daylight savings time, are the official sunrise-sunset tables adopted by the Montana Fish & Wildlife Commission for hunting in Montana. Authorized hunting hours for the taking of antelope, deer and/or elk begin one-half hour before sunrise and end one-half hour after sunset each day of the hunting season. **(Do not use other sources).**



ZONE 1: INCLUDES: Flathead, Granite, Lake, Lincoln, Mineral, Missoula, Ravalli and Sanders Counties

	Aug		Sept		Oct		Nov		Dec		Jan		Feb	
	Rise	Set	Rise	Set	Rise	Set	Rise	Set	Rise	Set	Rise	Set	Rise	Set
Day	A.M.	P.M.	A.M.	P.M.	A.M.	P.M.	A.M.	P.M.	A.M.	P.M.	A.M.	P.M.	A.M.	P.M.
01	6:17	9:07	6:56	8:14	7:36	7:14	7:19	5:19	8:01	4:49	8:21	4:59	8:00	5:40
02	6:18	9:06	6:58	8:12	7:37	7:12	7:21	5:18	8:02	4:49	8:21	5:00	7:59	5:41
03	6:19	9:04	6:59	8:10	7:38	7:10	7:22	5:16	8:04	4:48	8:21	5:01	7:57	5:43
04	6:20	9:03	7:00	8:08	7:40	7:09	7:24	5:15	8:05	4:48	8:21	5:02	7:56	5:44
05	6:22	9:01	7:02	8:06	7:41	7:07	7:25	5:13	8:06	4:48	8:21	5:03	7:55	5:46
06	6:23	9:00	7:03	8:04	7:42	7:05	7:27	5:12	8:07	4:48	8:21	5:04	7:53	5:48
07	6:24	8:58	7:04	8:02	7:44	7:03	7:28	5:11	8:08	4:48	8:20	5:05	7:52	5:49
08	6:25	8:57	7:05	8:00	7:45	7:01	7:30	5:09	8:09	4:47	8:20	5:06	7:50	5:51
09	6:27	8:55	7:07	7:58	7:46	6:59	7:31	5:08	8:10	4:47	8:20	5:07	7:49	5:52
10	6:28	8:54	7:08	7:56	7:48	6:57	7:33	5:07	8:11	4:47	8:19	5:09	7:47	5:54
11	6:29	8:52	7:09	7:54	7:49	6:55	7:34	5:06	8:12	4:47	8:19	5:10	7:46	5:55
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16	6:36	8:44	7:16	7:44	7:56	6:46	7:41	5:00	8:16	4:48	8:16	5:16	7:38	6:03
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18	6:38	8:40	7:18	7:40	7:59	6:42	7:44	4:58	8:17	4:49	8:14	5:19	7:35	6:06
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28	6:51	8:22	7:32	7:20	8:13	6:25	7:58	4:51	8:21	4:55	8:05	5:34	7:17	6:21
29	6:53	8:20	7:33	7:18	8:15	6:24	7:59	4:50	8:21	4:56	8:04	5:35		
30	6:54	8:18	7:34	7:16	8:16	6:22	8:00	4:50	8:21	4:57	8:03	5:37		
31	6:55	8:16			8:18	6:21			8:21	4:58	8:01	5:38		

ZONE 2: INCLUDES: Beaverhead, Broadwater, Cascade, Chouteau, Deer Lodge, Gallatin, Glacier, Hill, Jefferson, Lewis & Clark, Liberty, Madison, Meagher, Park, Pondera, Powell, Silver Bow, Teton and Toole Counties.

	Aug		Sept		Oct		Nov		Dec		Jan		Feb	
	Rise	Set	Rise	Set	Rise	Set	Rise	Set	Rise	Set	Rise	Set	Rise	Set
Day	A.M.	P.M.	A.M.	P.M.	A.M.	P.M.	A.M.	P.M.	A.M.	P.M.	A.M.	P.M.	A.M.	P.M.
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02	6:11	8:57	6:50	8:04	7:29	7:05	7:12	5:10	7:54	4:42	8:12	4:53	7:50	5:34
03	6:12	8:56	6:51	8:02	7:30	7:03	7:14	5:09	7:55	4:42	8:12	4:54	7:49	5:36
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07	6:17	8:50	6:57	7:54	7:36	6:55	7:20	5:04	7:59	4:41	8:11	4:58	7:43	5:42
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11	6:22	8:44	7:02	7:46	7:41	6:48	7:25	4:59	8:03	4:41	8:10	5:03	7:37	5:48
12	6:23	8:42	7:03	7:44	7:42	6:46	7:27	4:57	8:04	4:41	8:09	5:04	7:36	5:49
13	6:25	8:40	7:04	7:42	7:44	6:44	7:28	4:56	8:04	4:41	8:09	5:05	7:34	5:51
14	6:26	8:39	7:05	7:40	7:45	6:42	7:30	4:55	8:05	4:41	8:08	5:07	7:33	5:52
15	6:27	8:37	7:07	7:38	7:47	6:40	7:31	4:54	8:06	4:41	8:08	5:08	7:31	5:54
16	6:28	8:35	7:08	7:36	7:48	6:38	7:33	4:53	8:07	4:41	8:07	5:09	7:30	5:55
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ZONE 3: INCLUDES: Big Horn, Blaine, Carbon, Fergus, Golden Valley, Judith Basin, Musselshell, Petroleum, Phillips, Stillwater, Sweet Grass, Wheatland and Yellowstone Counties

	Aug		Sept		Oct		Nov		Dec		Jan		Feb	
	Rise	Set	Rise	Set	Rise	Set	Rise	Set	Rise	Set	Rise	Set	Rise	Set
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ZONE 4: INCLUDES: Carter, Custer, Daniels, Dawson, Fallon, Garfield, McCone, Powder River, Prairie, Richland, Roosevelt, Rosebud, Sheridan, Treasure, Valley and Wibaux Counties

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